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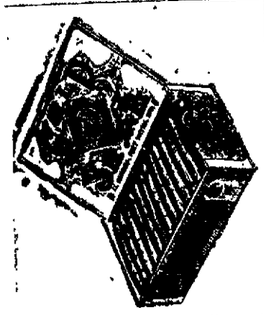

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A FORECAST

Of President McKinley's First Annual Message to Congress.

Currency Problem and Foreign Relations the Chief Topics Presented--Message Will be Unique in Some Respects.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—The message of President McKinley will be devoted practically to the subjects of our foreign relations and the currency problem. It will be unique in one respect in that it ignores the great bulk of matters usually constituting the departmental portions of presidential annual messages. There is scarcely a reference to the subject matter of the annual reports of the cabinet, the president's purpose being to call attention only to the more important affairs of the government. For this reason the postal savings project of the postmaster general is not discussed in the message.

While the details of the currency plank are not definitely known, it can be authoritatively stated that it is in the main an incorporation of the views submitted by Secretary Gage, though as to details the president leaves himself freedom of action by not taking any position with reference to several features of the secretary's plan while endorsing its main object.

A strong presentation of the Hawaiian question is made and congress is urged to take immediate action by ratification of the treaty of annexation. This part of the message strongly depicts the necessity for making the island part of the domains of the United States and reviews advantages that would accrue to the country by its possession.

As to Cuba the message calls attention to the recent trend of affairs on the island, refers to the scheme of autonomy just offered by Spain and, after reciting other developments in the situation, reaches the virtual conclusion that existing circumstances do not warrant interference in the affairs of the island.

Considerable attention is paid to the reciprocity negotiations with various countries in Europe. Special Commissioner Kasson has been working on this subject for some time and the message deals with some of the developments of negotiations already held and expresses the hope of the administration to secure satisfactory results in the future. The policy of the administration on this subject is outlined, and, citing French champagnes as an illustration the point is made that if special concessions are given any foreign products the United States must be given equal treatment by reciprocal concession.

The Alaskan problem is discussed at some length and a plea is made for congressional legislation, including the extension of the operation of the public land laws and the granting of rights of way for roads by which all parts of the country may be made more accessible.

TEN DROWNED.

Watery Graves for the Crew of an English Lifeboat.

A Volunteer Life Saving Crew at Margate Goes Down While Putting Out to a Distressed Ship.

MARGATE, Eng., Dec. 2.—The volunteer life boat belonging to this place capsized this morning off Nayland rock. Of the fourteen men comprising her crew, ten were drowned. The Margate life boat, when the accident occurred, was on her way to rescue the crew of a large vessel, supposed to be the Persian Empire. The life boat was about two miles off shore when she was overturned.

CURE FOR HYDROPHOBIA.

Indian Specific for Rabies to be Tested by Physicians.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 2.—For many years it has been known that the Yaqui Indians, of Sonora, possessed a vegetable specific remedy for hydrophobia, which was not only sure and efficacious, but perfectly harmless. While always ready to apply when needed, the Indians have kept its constituents a profound secret. Recently Dr. J. S. Bell, a specialist, now at Hermosillo, has secured from the Yaquis their valuable secret, and a large quantity of the herbs necessary for its manufacture, and will return to the United States to introduce the remedy throughout the country. It is believed that its certainty and safety, combined with its almost insignificant cost, compared with visiting a Pasteur institute for treatment, will cause it to become the generally accepted remedy for rabies.

NOBLE ON INJUNCTIONS.

Former Secretary of the Interior Talks to Purdue Students.

LAFAYETTE, Ind., Dec. 2.—Ex-Secretary of the Interior Noble, of St. Louis, today delivered the third of a series of lectures on railroad topics before the students of Purdue university. He was introduced by his former chief, ex-President Benjamin Harrison, a member of the board of trustees.

General Noble in the course of his address said, referring to injunctions:

"The writ of injunction that prohibits a lawless attack upon property of a reckless obstruction of the functions of government has proved an efficient process of the law, to secure at least a fair hearing on the merits of the case. The right of the courts of chancery to issue the writ of injunction and to try by the court itself violators of its command, without appeal, has grown up along with the right of trial by jury."

TWO FAILURES.

Enterprising Bandits Who Get No Booty.

A Bank Safe Attacked at Milford and a Passenger Train Held Up in Iowa.

WARSAW, Ind., Dec. 2.—Five robbers entered Miles & Higbee's bank at Milford, early today. They bound and gagged Night Watchman Milton Stiffy. Dr. Black, who passed on his way home, was also seized and gagged. The robbers then drilled a hole in the safe and several charges of dynamite were exploded, but only disfigured the safe without opening it. In their rage the robbers burned $1,000 of valuable securities and departed, leaving no clew.

KEOKUK, Iowa, Dec. 2.—One lone robber, with his face hidden by a mask and armed with a revolver, attempted to rob the passengers of the northbound St. Louis, Keokuk and Northwestern train, which arrived here early this morning. A minstrel troupe and a theatrical company were aboard the cars. The robber got on at Lagrange, Mo., about forty miles below here. Soon after the train left Lagrange the desperado, who had taken a seat in the smoking car, put a mask on his face, and drawing a revolver, started through the car. He demanded the money and valuables of the passengers. There was a scramble to get out of his way, but some of the men in the coach stood their ground and attempted to disarm the bandit, who fired three shots from his revolver, none of which took effect. He lost his mask in the scuffle and finally escaped to the platform, from which he sprang to the ground while the train was going at full speed. The bandit secured no booty and his mask is in possession of one of the theatrical party.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 2.—A special to the Post-Dispatch from San Antonio, Texas, says: "Advices were received here this morning of an attempt to hold up and rob a passenger train on the Mexican National road, near Monterey, Mex., by nine masked and well armed Mexicans. The passengers made resistance and the outlaws were unsuccessful. They are being pursued by soldiers and if captured will be shot."

MARRIED.

Henry George, Jr., and Miss Marie Hitch.

The Affair Quietly Conducted at the Bride's Father's—Miss Hitch Serves as Bridesmaid.

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—The marriage of Miss Marie Hitch, daughter of Capt. E. V. Hitch, formerly of New Orleans, to Henry George, jr., son of the late Henry George, of New York, was celebrated today at the home of the bride's father, 235 Ontario street. The wedding was a quiet one owing to the recent death of Mr. George's father. Only the most intimate friends and relatives witnessed the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. John Rush, of the Militant church. The bride, who was simply but handsomely gowned in white silk and lace, was attended by her sister, Miss Ellmore Hitch, as maid of honor; and the groom was attended by Ralph Crawford, of New York, as best man. A wedding breakfast was served, after which Mr. and Mrs. George left for Washington. Mrs. and Miss George, mother and sister of the groom, were among the wedding guests. The young couple first met during the world's fair, although the families had been intimate for years, the acquaintanceship was resumed when Henry George's father came west during the last presidential campaign to make speeches for W. J. Bryan, and this summer while Miss Hitch was visiting Mr. and Mrs. George in New York the engagement was announced. The wedding was to have taken place a week ago, but the sudden death of Mr. George's father during the heat of the New York mayoralty campaign caused a postponement until today.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Bids to be Received for a Lakeside Sewer—Remonstrance Night.

Bids will be received by the board of works tonight for a new sewer in Lakeside. It will run between Lake and Rivernet avenues, from Tecumseh street by a circuitous route to Lake avenue.

Remonstrances will be heard for sidewalks on the west side of St. Mary's avenue, from High to Polk street; grading the alley between Calhoun and Clinton streets, from Allen to Pontiac street; for a sidewalk on south side of Scott avenue, from Broadway to Thompson avenue.

Quite Stylish.

These new enamel chatelain watches at Dallas F. Green's, No. 3 Arcade.

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Holiday novelties in sterling and gold, at Dallas F. Green's, Arcade Jeweler.

MOTHER McKINLEY

Suffers a Paralytic Stroke This Morning.

The Attack is Mild but Her Extreme Age Makes Her Recovery Very Doubtful.

CANTON, Ohio, Dec. 2.—Mrs. Nancy Allison McKinley, mother of the president, was stricken with paralysis this morning, and it is feared that her death is only a question of a short time. The paralysis at present is of but a mild form, but owing to her extreme age, nearly eighty-nine years, Dr. Phillips, the attending physician, can give but little hope to the family.

Abner McKinley, of New York, has been visiting here for a few days, and when his mother was stricken this morning, immediately communicated with the president by telephone. The latter asked if he had best start at once, to which Abner McKinley replied that he had best wait a further report from the physician, who would make a call in time to advise by 1 o'clock.

The physician's statement to the family was that there was little doubt that the attack would ultimately result in death, but that there was no indication yet as to just when the end might come.

The attack was very light, and in a younger person would not necessarily be regarded as dangerous, but to one of her advanced years there is every probability that the attack will become aggravated. The end, he said, might be in a short time or it might be in a week or even a longer interval.

Mother McKinley, for some time, has not been in real good health, having suffered from a mild form of grip, with which she has been afflicted, and she was able to be up and about the house. Wednesday she seemed to have materially improved and her bright and cheerful humor was especially noted by the members of the household. Abner McKinley remarked that he had not seen her in such apparent good spirits for years.

She retired as usual Wednesday night, occupying a room adjoining that of her daughter Helen. About the hour the family usually arises this morning, Mother McKinley walked to Miss Helen McKinley's room and awakened her.

The latter addressed her mother, and receiving no answer surmised that something was wrong. She immediately dressed and summoned the household and later a physician.

Except in the failure of the vocal organs, Mrs. McKinley shows but little evidence of the paralysis. She is in full possession of her mental faculties, recognizing all of the family and others who see her and taking an interest in whatever transpires. A letter was received from the president this morning and was read to her by Miss Helen McKinley, who inquired if she understood the letter. To this Mother McKinley nodded her assent. Her physical powers up to noon were but little affected by the paralysis. She was able to walk to her daughter's room before her illness was known and since seems able to handle herself almost as well as usual.

MURDER AT A GRAVE.

Alexander Owens Kills Alexander Lawrence at Terre Haute.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Dec. 2.—Alexander Owens, a marble dealer, became enraged at Alexander Lawrence, an employe at the cemetery, and struck him a fatal blow as they stood on opposite sides of a grave.

Owens was placing a monument at the grave when Lawrence suggested that the base was not in a good position. Owens resented what he termed the interference of Lawrence and seizing a heavy oaken roller struck Lawrence on the head before the other workmen could prevent him.

Lawrence's skull was crushed and he died several hours afterward.

MAIL CLERK ARRESTED.

C. W. Merritt Trapped by Means of Decoy Letters.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 2.—C. W. Merritt, of Mansfield, Ohio, was arrested this morning for robbing the mails. Territt was employed as a railway postal clerk on the Fort Wayne railroad between Crestline and Pittsburg. For a long time the postal officials have been troubled with complaints of money being stolen from letters. Two decoy letters, with marked money, were found in his pockets when arrested.

WILL STOP THEM.

"Missing Word" Contests Under the Ban of the Postoffice Department.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—The postoffice department is taking a firm stand against the so called "missing letter" and "missing word" contests which are being conducted by a number of publishers to increase the subscriptions to their papers. The lottery law directs that the postmaster general, upon evidence satisfactory to himself that a concern or person is operating through the mails a lottery, or scheme offering prizes dependent upon lot or chance, to prohibit the delivery of all mail matter to it. All newspapers and periodicals containing advertisements of this character are forbidden transmission in the mails. This law, it is now announced at the postoffice department, will be applied to all schemes which are violations of it if they are continued in operation or advertisements of them are published. Missing letter contests are held to be such violations because many correct answers can be given, but only one list is deemed the "correct list" by the promoter of the scheme. The chance consists in guessing what words compose the so-called "correct list." Such schemes are held to be especially obnoxious, owing to the skillful wording of the advertisements which make the chance for obtaining a prize more remote than in the defunct Louisiana lottery.

SHE WAS SWINDLED.

Mrs. Julia French Invests Unwisely.

Buys Stock in a Gold Mine Which Has an Existence Only in Her Imagination.

DENVER, Col., Dec. 2.—The Republican today publishes the following dispatch from Cripple Creek in regard to the Fortune Gold Mining company, the promoters of which are accused by a wealthy Boston lady of having swindled her out of a large sum of money. The Fortune Gold Mining company, ostensibly of Cripple Creek, but in reality of Boston, owns undisputed right to three claims located in the granite somewhere south a few miles from the Cripple Creek district. There is very little probability that the title of the company to the property will ever be brought into dispute. It is to recover $10,500 paid for stock in this company that Mrs. Julia D. French, a wealthy society woman of the Back Bay district of Boston, has caused the arrest of Hamilton Gavot, Francis Appleton and William Beech Abbott, all of that city. The prospectus of the Fortune company is one of the most glowing that has ever appeared in Cripple Creek from the far-away Hub. In it the purchaser of stock, which is offered for sale at fifty cents a share, is led to believe that the claims owned by the company are among the most valuable in the heart of the Cripple Creek district. The people of Boston have suffered heavily from companies of this class, formed by their own people, and the parties arrested have a number of similar claims to be located in similar far-away hills adjacent to the Cripple Creek district.

BOAT BURNED.

The Egyptian Completely Destroyed in the Lake.

A Passing Steamer Picks Up the Crew and the Burning Boat is Left to Her Fate.

HARRIEVILLE, Dec. 2.—The steamer Egyptian, bound from Cleveland to Milwaukee with a cargo of coal, burned to the water's edge in Lake Huron last night, off Sturgeon Point. The fire was discovered by the Sturgeon Point life saving crew about 8 o'clock, who started at once to the rescue, arriving at the burning boat at 11 o'clock. On the way to the steamer the life saving crew passed a large which had taken the Egyptian crew off, but the life savers continued on their way with the hope of being able to save the burning hulk. There were twelve vessels around the Egyptian during the early part of the fire, but by the time the life savers reached her they were all gone. Without help of any kind at hand, the life savers were compelled to leave the Egyptian without doing anything after rowing about thirty-five miles in weather nearly to zero. None of the life savers suffered permanent injury from the cold. Captain Henderson who was in command of the life saving crew, deserves great credit for his heroic endeavors to save the Egyptian. He might have been able to have done something had not all the vessels sailed away when the life boat was still two miles away from the burning vessel. The Egyptian was owned by Nelson S. Whipple, of Detroit, according to the blue book. She was of 1,206 tons and was 232 feet long by twenty-six feet beam. She was built in 1873 and was several years past the time when she was a money maker.

More Gold Veins Discovered.

CRIPPLE CREEK, Col., Dec. 2.—The northern boundary of the Cripple Creek gold district has been extended three miles by the discovery in Copper Mountain of an immense blanket vein of ore running from $10 to $150 per ton in gold. The ores lies near the surface and is mined with plow and wheelbarrow. In the opinion of many mining men Copper Mountain is likely to prove one of the richest hills in the camp.

Stationary clocks in bronze and gilt, (the latest), at Dallas F. Green's, Arcade Jeweler.

Councilman F. X. Schuler leaves this evening for Corry, Pa., to attend the funeral of E. Weisser, notice of whose death appears elsewhere.

When looking for holiday presents don't forget to stop at Loesch's and inspect his line.

A fine selection of American cut glass, at Dallas F. Green's, Arcade Jeweler.

GEN. PANDO SLAIN.

Spanish Commander Killed in a Battle With Insurgents.

A Fierce Engagement Reported in Which Spanish Losses Were Heavy—Havana Greatly Excited.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—A dispatch to the Herald from Havana says:

A report that General Pando, who was placed in charge of military operations in Cuba by General Blanco, has been killed in an engagement with insurgents in Santa Clara province has just reached Havana. This report has caused the most intense excitement in the palace and official circles. No details of the killing of the Spanish commander have been received beyond the statement that he was shot in a battle with a force of insurgents while on the march from Sagua La Grande to Trinidad.

General Pando's plan was to march right through the heart of the territory which General Gomez' force is declared to have controlled. Simultaneously with the report of General Pando's death, comes news of a battle with insurgents near Mantanaz, in which the Spanish forces were routed and driven from the field. This engagement was bitterly fought and it is asserted that the losses of the Spaniards were very heavy.

BODY EXHUMED.

The Skull of a Suicide to Cut Some Figure in Contest of a Will.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Dec. 2.—Mrs. Wm. E. Hawley committed suicide at Oakland September 7 and the coroner's jury returned a verdict of suicide that same afternoon. The remains were buried the following Thursday at her former home at Napa. The will that Mrs. Hawley left, bequeathing her property to her husband, has been contested by her brothers and sisters. Her remains have been exhumed and her skull is now in the hands of San Francisco chemists for examination. The relatives charge that the will produced by her husband, which is intended to benefit him to the extent of $40,000, is a forgery, and while they will say nothing as to the purpose of the examination of the skull, they have put detectives on the case and the supposition is that they will try to prove that Mrs. Hawley did not commit suicide.

TO STOP LYNCHING.

Governor O'Farrell Submits a Remedy in His Annual Message.

RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 2.—In his message to the general assembly, which convened yesterday, Gov. O'Farrell discusses the lynching question and proposes legislation to correct the evil.

He urges that a heavy pecuniary penalty be imposed on each county and city in which a lynching occurs; that wherever the military may be called out to protect a prisoner in a county or city such county or city be charged with the expense thereof, and that officers who allow prisoners to be taken from their custody without first having exhausted all possible means to protect their prisoners be summarily suspended until the question of dismissal shall be determined by a jury. Also that there be only one penalty for assault, and that death.

HANNA HAS THE GRIP.

Will Not be Present at the Opening Session of the Senate.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Dec. 2.—After several days of indisposition, Senator Hanna has thrown up his hands and gone to bed. He has the grip, but is not dangerously ill, his doctor says. At the same time he has severe headaches and must keep to his bed for a week.

He had been carefully nursing himself with the view of being in shape to go on to Washington and be in his seat in the senate when congress convened for the regular session. It has been at least four or five days since he visited the office and he was saving himself, but it was no use. He finally had to go to bed and call a doctor. Yesterday morning Colonel Dick received word by telephone of the state of affairs. The senate will be one short when it gets to work.

FAIR POINTERS.

Winter caps, 25c. Men's underwear, 25, 35 and 50c. Jersey overshirt, 69c. Knee suits, 89c. Boys' suits, long pants, $3.00. Men's overcoats, $2.50. Beaver, $5.00. Men's suits, $2.50 and $4.00. Good linen collars, 10c; celluloid, 6c. Ladies' shoes, $1.00. Men's shoes, 98c. Men's rubbers, best, 60c. Duck mittens, 7c. Calf skin mittens, 25c. Overalls, 39c. Overgaitars, 25c. 4 cakes buttermilk soap, 10c. Tumblers, 2c. Lamp chimneys, 3c. Table lamp, complete, 25c. Many bargains at

THE FAIR

FOOD IS SCARCE.

Conditions at Dawson City are Such as to Threaten Famine.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—Edgar L. Strauss of this city, a member of the Pacific stock exchange, has received a letter from his brother-in-law James W. Morrison, who is now at Dawson City, which confirms the news of the scarcity of food on the Klondike. He says: "The steamer Bella arrived, bringing about eighty tons of provisions, but still that will not be sufficient. The authorities have posted notices advising all persons not supplied with a year's provisions to go to Circle City or Fort Yukon, where provisions are to be had. The stores are closed. The cargo of the Bella won't begin to fill half the orders. The provisions were sent on the City of Wearo and are only placed at sixty cents

AMONG THE LODGES.

December is the Month of Elections in Fraternities.

A Spicy Grist of News From Various Orders—Several Entertainments on This Week's Program.

This is the month of elections in the various orders and there is not much actual work in the degrees being done anywhere. When the new officers are installed a revival of lodge affairs can be looked for, ensuring some pretty lively times after the holidays. The happenings in fraternal circles the past week and for the next are summed up as follows:

R. A. M.

The annual election of officers of Fort Wayne chapter, Royal Arch Masons, was held last night, with the following result:

Most Excellent High Priest—W. C. McNutt.

Most Excellent King—H. T. Altevogt.

Most Excellent Scribe—J. W. McCausland.

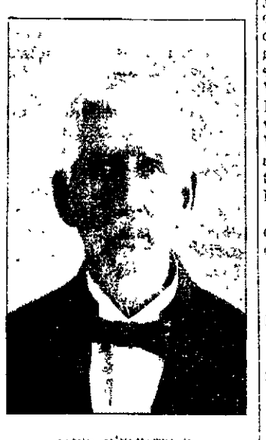
Captain of the Host—E. H. Hollister.

Treasurer—C. E. Read.

Secretary—W. J. Probasco.

Trustees—R. A. Ligget, H. W. Moodhurst and William Geake.

The officers will be formally installed on Wednesday evening, December 15.



JAMES M'ELFATRICK, The Oldest Living Member of Fort Wayne Commandery No. 4, Knight Templars, now a resident of Princeton, Ky.

CATHOLIC BENEVOLENT LEGION.

Father Edward council, No. 237, Catholic Benevolent legion, elected officers last evening as follows:

Chaplain—The Rev. Edward Koenig.

President—Nicholas Pauken.

Vice President—Joseph Brunner.

Orator—Frank Brueeker.

Chancellor—Fred Huber.

Secretary—Cornelius Brunner.

Collector—John Hank.

Treasurer—John Kohrman.

Marshal—Charles Michaels.

Guard—Amos Kress.

Trustees—Frank Kees, Fred Link, Fred Noll.

Delegate to State Council—John Kohrman.

Alternate—Fred Link.

The state council will be held at Delphi this year.

A. O. U. W.

Tomorrow night will be a gala night with No. 19, the occasion being the celebration of its tenth anniversary. This lodge was organized November 12th, 1897, with a charter membership of twenty-seven. It now has over 100 names on its roll, including some of our best citizens. The committee in charge have spared no pains to make this an occasion to be long remembered by the Ancient Order of United Workmen in this city. A cordial invitation has been extended to our sister lodges, No. 56 and 50. Let every loyal workman, with their family and friends, be present and help us celebrate. The following program has been prepared:

Address of welcome ..... Master Workman Thomas Lorenz
Song ..... Geo. Holbrook
History of No. 19 A. O. U. W. ..... Bro. Eugene B. Smith
Song ..... Master Corey, Master Osborn and Edna Norris
Address ..... Bro. W. H. Shumaugh
Music ..... Regal Mandolin Club
Recitation ..... Miss Alta Bruce
Song ..... Adolph Schultz
Recitation ..... Miss Alta Bruce
Song ..... Mr. Bell and Band
Address ..... Bro. H. S. Aylsworth
Music ..... Regal Mandolin Club
Closing Ode ..... Audience

Summit City lodge, No. 36, will elect officers Thursday evening of next week. At this meeting a representative to the grand lodge will be chosen.

Fulton lodge, A. O. U. W., and Esther lodge, D. of H., dedicated their new lodge hall at Shelbyville, with appropriate ceremonies, last week. In the afternoon they entertained more than 1,000 persons at the housewarming, and at night fully 800 heard the addresses by Frederick Baker, grand recorder, of Evansville; T. D. Neal, grand master workman, of Frankton. Fulton lodge has about 200 members.

FRATERNAL MYSTIC CIRCLE.

Fort Wayne Ruling 6821, will have its next regular meeting

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THE DEATHS.

Demise of Mrs. A. N. Hanna This Morning.

Mrs. A. M. Ambruster Succumbs After a Long, Suffering—Emanuel Weisser Dies at Corry, Pa.

Mrs. A. N. Hanna, of No. 1 Fulton street, died early this morning of cancer of the breast. Deceased was almost forty-two years of age, and leaves besides the husband, two sons, aged fourteen and ten years. The remains will be shipped to Bluffton for interment next Saturday. The remains can be seen by friends all day tomorrow at the residence.

WEISSER.

Councilman Frank X. Schuhler has received a telegram from Corry, Pa., announcing the death of Emanuel Weisser, whose illness was noted in THE SENTINEL a day or two ago. Mr Weisser was an old resident of Fort Wayne, coming here from Germany in the early days. He was a tanner by trade, and after living here a few years established a tannery on Spy Run avenue, which was one of the leading industries of its kind in northern Indiana. A few years ago he sold out and moved to Corry, Pa., to embark in the same business with his son, Frank Weisser. The deceased left a large estate included in which is considerable property in this city.

AMBRUSTER.

Mrs. Anna Mary Ambruster died yesterday afternoon at her home, 136 Horace street, of diabetes. She had been a sufferer for several years. She was seventy-nine years of age and a native of Germany, but came to this country when a young girl and the greater part of the time since she made her home in Fort Wayne. She leaves a husband, Laurenz Ambruster, a well known watchman at the works of the Western Gas Construction company, and two children. There are also three grandchildren, who lived at her home.

The funeral will take place Saturday at 8 a. m. from the house and 9 o'clock from St. Peter's church.

A NEW CHURCH.

Division Proposed for the St. Paul's Congregation.

Fletcher Homestead Property To be Purchased for the New House of Worship and Schoolhouse.

Owing to the growth of the St. Paul's Lutheran congregation the inevitable result of overreaching the capacity of the handsome church on Barr street has been a matter of discussion for some time. Today material steps in the direction of a remedy for the fast approaching condition were taken and it is safe to say that before very long a new church building and school house will be erected in the Eighth ward. The trustees of the church are negotiating for the purchase of the Fletcher homestead property, on Walton avenue, and terms have virtually been agreed upon. It is proposed to first erect a school house in the spring, the church building to be built later in the season. This new house of worship will accommodate the large number of members in that part of the city and give a chance to centralize the St. Paul's district. The expenditure for this church improvement will be considerable.

BARN BLAZE.

E. Hettinger Sustains a Serious Loss by Fire.

Thirty Tons of Hay and the Contents of the Granary, Together With Farm Implements, Destroyed.

E. Hettinger, a farmer residing three miles northeast of Maysville, was in the city today to file notice of a fire loss with the Allen County Farmers' Insurance association. Mr. Hettinger's large barn, with all its contents, burned to the ground and it was with great difficulty that the other buildings were saved. The fire was started by incendiaries while the farmer was at Maysville Tuesday night. In the barn was stored thirty tons of hay and a large amount of grain, besides the valuable machinery used in farming. His insurance amounts to $1,000, which will not half reimburse him for the loss.

SUGAR BEET MEETING.

Farmers of Lake Township Addressed by W. F. Devilbiss.

A sugar beet meeting was held last night held at Jones' school house in Lake township. Levi Binkley presided and the meeting was addressed by W. F. Devilbiss. A large number of the representative farmers of the township were at the gathering, and much interest was shown in the culture of sugar beets. Among those who were present 17½ acres of sugar beets were pledged.

A meeting will be held at the Wallen school house tomorrow night.

The Tippecanoe club was addressed last evening by H. W. Tenbrook, who has had a personal knowledge of the sugar beet industry in the Netherlands. He has made a study of the subject and its possibilities for this state and gave the club entertaining information about it. He showed that it is not only possible to grow sugar beets in this country, but that certain success would attend the effort. Speeches were also made by Dr. Bulson, Otto Gross and W. E. Doud.

DIVORCES GRANTED.

Marital Bonds Dissolved by the Courts.

Judgment Rendered in the Suit Against the Perfection Manufacturing Company—The Court News.

In the superior court today Chas. Rau was granted a divorce from Opal Rau. Both the principals to the suit are well known in Fort Wayne. The complaint alleged cruelty and desertion on the part of the defendant. The plaintiff declared that his wife had treated him very badly and had thrown flatirons at him and threatened to throw vitrol in his face. The defendant was not in court, but was represented by her attorney.

In the circuit court today William B. Kelley was granted a divorce from Lena Kelley. Cruelty was alleged in the complaint.

JUDGMENTS RENDERED.

In the suit of Henry C. Miller vs. the Perfection Manufacturing company, in which L. M. Ninde has been sitting as special judge for several days in the superior court, the following judgments were rendered: For Harry W. Meyers, $175 and costs and charges of the suit; for Christian E. Holsworth, defendant, $1,662.81; for S. F. Bowser, $1,060. The trustee, T. D. DeVilbiss, is ordered to sell the property of the defendant company and discharge the foregoing judgments.

OTHER COURT NEWS.

In the suit of Myron S. Downing vs. Caroline S. Schiefer, et al., the superior court has awarded judgment for $854.58 against Caroline Schiefer and adjudged foreclosure against all the defendants to the suit.

In the superior court suit in replevin proceedings has been brought by Mary White against Ira White, Enos H. White and Clara M. White to recover possession of certain chattels, including tooth brushes, combs, curtains and articles of virtu on necessity. The suit has its starting place in a divorce suit.

Victor M. Hatfield has brought suit in the superior court against J. B. Wood, et al., on note for $100; also against Vardaman, et al., on note for $200.

The Old National bank of Fort Wayne sues E. H. Parker and Jasper W. Jones on note for $150.

LICENSED TO WED.

Thomas M. Maloy and Margaret Ellen Vizard.

William S. Barlow and Emily Tyree.

Joseph E. Traut and Emma C. Schuler.

FIENDISH DEED.

The Head of a Family Tries to Kill Them.

Tied His Wife and Children to a Beam and Then Assaulted Them With a Knife.

WILMINGTON, Del., Dec. 2.—A special from Milford, Del., to Every Evening says that Salvage Bilderback, a charcoal burner, who, about a year ago, moved from New Jersey to Duglestown, a Maryland village near the Delaware line, attempted to kill his family last Monday evening. Bilderback returned to his cabin about 10 o'clock and said to his wife:

"I have just learned to use the kind of sword the Cubans use. Now, I want all of you to stand up."

In order to humor him she and the children arose, when he tied their hands with a piece of cord, which he fastened to the rafters. Obtaining a corn knife which was in an adjoining room, he commenced cutting his family, inflicting some dreadful wounds. Before he could complete his fiendish work his son came home. Bilderback becoming alarmed, seized his army musket, ran out doors and fled to the woods. The son summoned a physician and notified the neighbors. A posse was quickly organized and search for the assailant was begun, but as yet Bilderback has not been found. The villagers threaten to lynch him if he is found. The condition of Mrs. Bilderback and the children is serious.

ART FAIR.

Interesting Exhibit at the Berry Street M. E. Church This Week.

Beginning today and lasting tomorrow and Saturday an art exhibit will be given at the Berry street M. E. church each afternoon and evening, the affair being conducted under the auspices of the Epworth league. There is offered for sale a fine collection of reproductions published by the Ladies' Home Journal, these prints representing famous paintings. Other exhibits are shown by the Foster Furniture store, Siemon & Bro., Jacobs' shoe store, Miner's studio and the Packard Organ company. The exhibit is quite well worth a visit.

Diamond rings at all prices and in all styles, at Dallas F. Green's, Arcade Jeweler.

The Barbers' union has issued invitations for a select ball and entertainment to be given at Saengerbund hall on Monday evening next.

Thomas M. Maloy and Margaret E. Vizard were united in marriage at the county clerk's office this afternoon by Justice Frauce.

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The Evening Sentinel.

BY E. A. E. HACKETT.

THURSDAY, DEC. 2, 1897.

TONIGHT.

Entertainment—Ladies' Aid society, S. of V., at Tru Blues' hall.

Berry Street M. E. Church—Art exhibit all week.

Wayne Street M. E. Church—Extra meeting, conducted by Rev. Henry W. Bennett, D. D.

Revivals—West Jefferson Street Church of Christ—West Creighton Avenue Church of Christ.

Revival Services—At Bethany Presbyterian church, Nebraska, Rev. E. J. Bulgin, evangelist.

Dramatic Club—Rehearsal of "Scrap of Paper," at home of Mrs. Joss.

Theosophical Society—Regular meeting.

Board of Public Works—Regular meeting.

Lodges—Wayne Tent No. 54, K. O. T. M.; Summit City No. 36, A. O. U. W.; Harmony No. 19, I. O. O. F.; Peridean Camp No. 85, The Grand Fraternity.

Masonic Temple—Attractions for the week:
Friday Evening—Modjeska.
Saturday Evening—Gus Hill's World of Novelties.

THE "cabinet crisis" appears to have assumed the malignance of a fad in Europe. First Greece had one, then Spain, Austria is just catching her breath after dallying with the fashion, and France now is about to have one

KAISER WILLIAM has decided to send no warship to bring little Hayti to terms. It may have been respect for the Monroe doctrine and the country that stands ready to enforce it, or it may not. Any way, the German gunboat is not coming.

WITH the new gold discoveries in the Klondike, Australia and Siberia monopolizing public attention, little attention has been paid recently to the American mines. Yet the figures show that the sixteen most prominent gold mining companies in this country have paid, all told, nearly $40,000,000 in dividends to its stockholders. Unfortunately for the reputation of the American mines where one pays dividends a score or more prove absolutely worthless But this is always the case, and investors should not be led to believe that the Klondike securities will prove any exception

IF THE greenbacks are to be retired, bonds must be issued for that purpose. What the average citizen wants to know and cannot find out is what good is to come of converting a non-interest bearing debt into a debt that does bear interest. That is a part of the plan of currency "reform" proposed by the administration.

AFTER a ten years' struggle Duluth has finally acquired possession of its water works. It pays $1,250,000, while the price heretofore demanded was $2,100,000. The water company spent nearly $500,000 in elections and litigation during that time. The prospect of Duluth building a municipal plant at once brought it to time.

GROVER CLEVELAND was sold in New York the other day for $25. He was only a horse, however, and was once owned by the former president whose name he bears. The animal is a full brother of the great gelding Azote and had the making of a fleet stepper, but he wasn't trained right. No analogy is intended in these observations.

A NUMBER of Turks, immigrants who believe in polygamy, were turned back at New York. It appears that the interpreter who put the questions was an Armenian and he managed to make them testify that they believed in the Koran, which sanctions polygamy, and were therefore polygamists and disqualified for admission here. The young men protested that they were bachelors and had no intention of getting married, but that made no difference. One Armenian seems to have got even at the expense of the "unspeakable Turk."

THE report of Dr. Wyman, surgeon general of the marine hospital service, on the late epidemic of yellow fever in the south, reveals another question to be decided in connection with what may be called the Cuban question at large. Dr. Wyman officially states that Havana is the source of the yellow fever, which visits our country at frequent intervals, causing loss of life and property. Havana is a constant hotbed of yellow fever, and for the reason that the government of Havana enforces no sanitary regulations whatever. At present the mortality at Havana from yellow fever—which always prevails there—is increased by the short supply of food in the city, in other words by starvation. In different hands than those of Spain the harbor of Havana would be cleansed and precautions taken against yellow fever, just as has been done at Vera Cruz

Chronic Pauperism.

A singular and striking report, probably the only one of the kind ever made in this country, has just been completed and issued in New York city by the committee on statistics of the Charity Organization society.

The committee is composed of Richmond Mayo Smith, professor of political economy and social science at Columbia university; Franklin H. Giddings, professor of sociology at Columbia university, and Frederick W. Halls. The report consists of a careful analysis of the records of 500 families from the time they applied for aid in 1890 until September 1, of this year. In referring to the repetition of applications for relief the report says:

"There is a disclosure of chronic pauperism. This pauperism exists to a large degree because of the incapacity of men and women to support themselves. Their condition is due, investigation shows, to a lack of moral development. Of the persons who appealed for aid the largest number were married men and women. Widows with children came next. Of the 500 applicants 170 were Irish and 132 were natives of the United States. Many of the latter were persons who had lived in this city less than a year. The list includes 122 men of good character and 231 women of good character. The remainder were professional beggars, criminals and chronic paupers."

There is no way to deal with this class of chronic indigents. They are helpless in a measure, as pointed out in the foregoing extract. There is a moral and intellectual incapacity for which there is no remedy and the best, perhaps, that can be done is to furnish them subsistence when it is required. Hostage for the future might be taken in preventing, if possible, the intermarrying of people of this class and the propagation of their kind to a large extent cut off. But even this is a doubtful expedient. Verily, the poor we have always with us.

FIELD'S TERM EXPIRES.

Aged Supreme Court Justice is Now a Private Citizen.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—Justice Field's retirement from the supreme court, of which he gave official notice to the president last April, took place yesterday. The justice was not present in the court room and as he had not sat with the court on any day since the opening day of the term the proceedings did not differ in any respects from those of ordinary days.

It had been supposed that the general transfer of the seats of the associate judges, which always occurs when the senior associate retires, would take place, but even this formality was postponed until Monday next. Justice Harlan now becomes the senior associate.

If Justice Field's term had continued until next Tuesday he would have had forty-four years of continuous service. Under the law he will draw full salary until his death.

DIFFER AS TO UNION.

Indiana Societies of Sons of the Revolution Fail to Agree.

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 2.—The Indiana Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, at the meeting last night, unanimously approved the proposed consolidation of this organization with the Society of the Sons of the Revolution, the new association to be known as the Society of the American Revolution. The Indiana branch of the Society of the Sons of the American Revolution have resolved, however, to oppose the proposed consolidation, and the statement was made that two-thirds of the eastern states had taken or would take similar action.

Pensions for Indianians.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—Pensions have been granted to the following Indianians:

Original—Gustave Rhode, Cumberland; James Livingston, Lebanon; William Norton (deceased), Glenns Valley; Crawford Fawcett, Kokomo.

Additional—John T. Timberlake, Sulphur.

Supplemental—Jno. Eberts, North Indianapolis

Restoration and Reissue—Thomas Roberts (deceased), Sheridan.

Increase—Abram Plunkett, Crawfordsville; Albert T. Lewis, Leavenworth; Irving Graves, Muncie; Thomas A. Dawson, Vincennes; John Hawes, Rockport; Jeremiah Conrad, Shipshewana; Michael Catt, Red Cloud; John Stevens, Indianapolis; John Smith, Bryant's Creek; Frank Daniels, Rockport; William Douglass, Warsaw; Torrence Murphy, Indianapolis.

Reissue—Robert B. McMains, Cannelton, Ephram Kenison, Madison.

Original Widows, Etc.—Ella Roberts, Sheridan; Hannah E. Hensler, Roann; Caroline Wilson, Bartle; Mary I. Burgess, Warsaw; Hannah C. Hoffman, Hubbard; Catherine Hobhan, Indianapolis.

Henry Ashbaucher and Alva Nicols pleaded guilty at Decatur to the charge of being white cappers. The boys are both minors and have heretofore born first-class reputations, and it is thought for this reason they will receive a light sentence.

AMONG THE LODGES.

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Harmony hall, Wednesday evening, December 8, at which important business will be transacted The election of officers for the ensuing year, addresses and suggestions under the head, "Good of the Order," will be participated in by the sister and brother members. Progressive pedro will be next on the program, the awarding of two first and second booby prizes to each lady and gentleman winners and losers, then refreshments will be served. Judging from past experience, they logically expect a jolly good time. The new charter is now on exhibition in Root & Company's window, where it will remain for three days more.

ELKS.

The annual memorial service will be held in the lodge rooms on next Sunday afternoon, Dec. 5th, it being the first Sunday in December, which has been designated and dedicated each year as a day in which shall be commemorated by every lodge of Elks the memories of our departed brothers.

Since the last memorial service three brothers have departed this life, viz.: Brothers E. J. Erickson, H. J. Lapp and John Hamm, and it is to eulogize and commemorate their memory, as well as the memory of brothers who have gone before them that the members meet next Sunday.

The committee in charge of this memorial service have for good and sufficient reasons decided not to have a large public memorial service this year, but all brothers are requested to be on hand and take part in the ceremonies and to invite such friends as they desire to be present.

Good music, appropriate to the occasion, will be a part of the exercises. Brothers and their guests are requested to be at the lodge rooms promptly at 1:30 p. m.

The committee in charge is as follows: W. W. Mungen, A. C. Alter, F. S. Lightfoot, Sid Hubbard.

U. R. K. OF P.

Last Thursday evening a meeting was held to push along the organization of a company of the Uniform Rank, K of P., at New Haven, and the following officers were elected:

Captain—Chas. W. Bolyard.
First Lieutenant—E. C. Carter.
Second Lieutenant—Ben C. Pickett
Recorder—Will D. Gorrell.
Treasurer—Jos. W. Harlor.

There are five non-commissioned officers to be appointed, and the new organization will start with twenty-one charter members. When it came to select a name New Haven was almost unanimously chosen.

The new company will belong to the Ninth regiment, under command of Col. C. E. Graves, of this city, and the boys will try and get in shape for the supreme lodge meeting at Indianapolis next summer. This gives New Haven two uniformed bodies, the other being the Knights of St. John.

K. OF P.

Next Monday evening E. V. Emrick will address knights at Phoenix hall on the subject of "Pythianism." All brothers are invited to be present.

Fort Wayne, No. 116, has appointed the following committee to make preparations for a big reception to be given by the lodge January 4th: H. I. Smith, chairman; Charles Young, T. N. Roach, C. K. Riemon and George Essig. The affair will be on a broad scale and it is desired to have every Pythian knight in Fort Wayne present on the occasion. The lodge has held aloof from anything of this kind owing to the fact that the Odd Fellows' building was not provided with an elevator. This objection has been removed and a fine elevator will be in operation by the time this reception is given.

KNIGHTS AND LADIES OF COLUMBIA.

The Knights and Ladies of Columbia meet every Wednesday evening in K. O. T. M. hall on Calhoun street. Although a young order it is in a very prosperous condition and is composed of some of the best citizens. On Thursday evening, December 8, they will give an entertainment and supper in K. O. T. M. hall, when the following program will be carried out:

Instrumental music	Miss L. M. Jasch
Recitation	Carrie Kauble
Song	Marjorie Yost
Recitation	Pearl Gay
Piano duet	Messrs. Commincavish and Craig
Recitation	George Geary
Kansas Emigrant	Daughters of Pocahontas
Recitation	Mrs. Kretzinger
Song	Glee Club
Select reading	Mrs. Anna Gay
Hans Von Smash	Daughters of Pocahontas

DAUGHTERS OF POCAHONTAS.

The entertainment given by Minnewa council, No. 69, last Saturday evening was a decided success in every way. It not only shows the interest the members take in the lodge but it shows what they can do when it comes to entertaining their friends. Owing to the fact that this entertainment was given on their regular meeting night they decided to call an extra meeting next Saturday, at which time they will nominate officers for the ensuing term; also act on the applications of several parties.

LADIES' AID SOCIETY, S. OF V.

Ladies' Aid Society, No. 19, S. of V., will give an entertainment and social hop this evening. The following program will be rendered:

Piano solo	Miss Florence Quirey
Recitation	Miss Nettie Brown
Vocal solo	Miss Bessie Golden
Recitation	Mrs. William Slater
Harp solo	Mr. Casolo
Recitation	Ralph Brown
Piano solo	Miss Maude Wenger
Recitation	Miss Florence McMullen
Piano duet	The Misses Lehman

WEARING BADGES.

Many of the orders of this state have taken up and are enforcing the law in regard to persons wearing badges and emblems of orders who are not members. The Jr. O. U. A. M., of Monroeville, have taken this step and it is a proper one, as there are entirely too many impostors who are supporting their living and seeking assistance from members of orders in good standing. There are several of this class in Monroeville and they should take warning, as the penalty is $50 and costs.

DAUGHTERS OF REBEKAH.

There will be an annual election of officers in Queen Esther lodge next Saturday evening

I. O. B. B.

This order will have a meeting next Sunday evening for the election of officers A full attendance is requested

BEN HUR.

No. 15 initiated two candidates at the last meeting This lodge and No. 96 will hold their elections the last Monday in this month.

A. O. H.

On the fourth Sunday of this month the officers of the two divisions of the A. O. H. and the Hibernian Rifles, composing the county board, will meet at the rooms in Library hall to elect officers of the board.

DAUGHTERS OF WORKMEN.

Tuesday night a very interesting session was held, three ladies and two gentlemen being initiated into the order and three more were elected to come in next Tuesday night. The order is growing in membership as well as interest.

DEGREE OF HONOR.

The three lodges will elect officers next week. No. 2 and No. 22 will choose officers on Tuesday and No. 26 on Wednesday.

At the meeting Tuesday evening No. 2 had one initiation and a literary and musical entertainment was carried out before the meeting closed.

AUXILIARY TO B. OF L. E.

The Ladies' Auxiliary to the B. of L. E. will give an entertainment in True Blue hall Thursday evening, December 9. Their program is an especially pleasing one and will be published in a few days. The committee is making an extra effort to secure some of the best talent in the city and the deserve a liberal patronage from their friends.

The entertainment will be followed by a short dance program.

K. OF THE G. E.

The Knights of the Golden Eagle had three candidates last Tuesday evening, upon whom the three degrees were conferred. After the work Brother William H. Boles, of Winchester, and Brothers Hilgeman and Keefer, of this city made speeches. An oyster supper and smoker followed. Next Tuesday evening there will be five candidates for the first degree and a big time is expected. This order is flourishing finely. Meetings are held regularly Tuesday night of each week.

NATIONAL UNION.

Kekionga council No. 93 will hold their regular meeting next Wednesday evening, December 8. At this meeting will occur the annual election of officers and three trustees to serve for the ensuing year. There will be other important business to be transacted. The degree staff will confer the initiation upon three candidates. The entertainment committee will submit their report and the members may expect to hear something interesting, as the committee have labored diligently to furnish something attractive.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF RED MEN.

The semi-annual election of officers for Mechecannochqua tribe, Independent Order of Red Men, which took place last evening, resulted as follows:

Sachem—William Birley.
Senior Sagamore—William Aiken.
Junior Sagamore—Charles Hutchinson.
Prophet—Monroe Johnson.
Chief of Records—Ernest Tagtmeyer.
Collector of Wampum—John T. Leach.
Keeper of Wampum—F. D. Engle.
Trustee—Judson Wertzbaugh.

Previous to the election eight candidates for admission to the order were given the initiatory degrees and arrangements were completed for the purchase of a piano.

ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR.

Last Tuesday evening was a "red letter" one in the existence of the Eastern Star chapter, of Kendallville, when they entertained the grand matron, Mrs. Mamie Conrad, of Warsaw, several members of the Fort Wayne, Avilla and Butler chapters, and representatives from other chapters.

The initiatory degrees were conferred upon two candidates, the officers of Noble chapter exemplifying the work, after which the beautiful floral degree was conferred. The officers of Noble chapter have a reputation for very admirable work in the exemplification of the ritual work, and this favorable regard was more than sustained on this occasion. Never have the officers conferred the degrees in a more beautiful and impressive manner.

After the work a fine entertainment program was carried out.

Dr. Harriet Stemen, of Fort Wayne, very gracefully presented the regrets of her father, Dr. C. B. Stemen, grand patron, who was detained from the occasion by business duties.

Those present from this city were Mesdames J. W. Clark, J. M. Graham, J. Metzner, H. Umpstead, J. M. Henry, J. C. Craig, William Grout, Isaac Allen; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brokaw Dr. Harriet Stemen and Miss Kate Foster.

MODERN AMERICAN FRATERNAL ORDER.

Anthony Wayne lodge, No. 42, Modern American Fraternal Order, met last night at the usual hour in the K. P. hall and initiated ten new members. The membership is now above 150. The lodge decided to have no meeting next Wednesday night because of the entertainment the lodge intends to give on Thursday, December 9 As this is the first entertainment Anthony Wayne lodge has given, no pains are being spared to make it equal to anything ever given in the city. The lodge has been fortunate in securing the well known entertainer and character delineator, Professor Lew V. Ulrey. Prof. Ulrey will entertain the audience with a number of his excruciatingly funny characterizations and facial contortions. Prof. Ulrey has made arrangements to seat old maids and "grass widows" in the amen corner. Mrs Ada Denner Ulrey and Miss Laura S. Bowser will give some twenty minutes of Delsarte attitudes, poses and aesthetic gymnastics in costume that will equal anything ever given in the city. Not least among the attractions of this entertainment will be the music of the well known and justly popular Emerson quartet.

Capt. Thomas W. Blair, president of Anthony Wayne lodge, has promised to sing a solo or two. Altogether a grand time is anticipated and one and all are invited to attend

INDIAN SCHOOLS.

Annual Reports of the Institutions Where Young Lo Is Educated.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—The annual reports of Indian schools show considerable progress at Carlisle, Pa., and Hampton, Va., the principal institutions. Superintendent Pratt, of Carlisle, reports an enrollment of 762 pupils at the beginning of the fiscal year and they include representatives of sixty-eight different tribes. Captain Pratt presents a strong advocacy of the Indian outing system, which he says enforces economy and saving. By this means the boys and girls at Carlisle earned $20,448 during the year. The total enrollment at the Hampton institute is 138, embracing representatives of thirteen tribes.

ENGINE EXPLODED.

Four Men Seriously Injured at Titusville, Pa., and Two Will Die.

TITUSVILLE, Pa., Dec. 2—By the explosion of a "dinkey" engine on the new street car line of the Titusville Traction company, near East Titusville, four men were seriously injured, two fatally. The injured were: Jacob Miller, engineer; Charles Miller, his son; Edward Neely, laborer; M. B. Dunham, of Warren, Pa., president of the company. The two Millers were frightfully scalded and will die. Dunham and Neely received several scalp wounds and other injuries.

WAY TO STOP GAS WASTE.

Injunction Proceedings to be Filed in Indianapolis for a Test Case.

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec 2—The state proposes to step in and stop the waste of natural gas by injuntion. The supreme court will be asked to pass on the injunction case brought up from Madison county and point out clearly a way for the state to proceed. The excitement over the waste of gas through uncapped oil wells shows no decrease. Mass meetings were held yesterday in this city, in Alexandria and in several other gas towns.

New Trades Union Formed.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 2.—The wash-house operatives employed in the tinplate mills, dipping terne plates into the vats, have formed a trades union and will make application for admission to the American Federation of Labor at the coming meeting at Nashville. There are about 2,000 wash-house men employed in the different factories in the country, and it is claimed that a large number in the Pittsburg, Ohio Valley, Wheeling and Indiana districts have joined the new organization.

Mrs. M. Eva Peck, a practicing physician of Goshen, as she was entering her home was seized by a footpad, who attempted to throttle her, in an effort to secure her purse. Mrs. Peck made a lively resistance, finally loosening her throat so that she could scream, and in this way compelled the robber's flight.

The Greatest Discovery Yet.

W. M. Repine, editor Tiskilwa, Ill., "Chief," says: "We won't keep house without Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. Experimented with many others, but never got the true remedy until we used Dr. King's New Discovery. No other remedy can take its place in our home, as in it we have a certain and sure cure for Coughs, Colds, Whooping Cough, etc." It is idle to experiment with other remedies, even if they are urged on you just as good as Dr. King's New Discovery. They are not as good, because this remedy has a record of cures and besides is guaranteed. It never fails to satisfy. Trial bottles free at Dreier Bros.' drug store.

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REINSTATEMENT LIKELY.

Captain Stephenson Will be Captain of Police Again.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Corporation Counsel Scott has recommended to the board of police commissioners the reinstatement of John T. Stephenson as captain of police. Captain Stephenson was dismissed from the force in 1894 upon his conviction of accepting a basket of peaches as a bribe for non-enforcement of the ordinance against the obstruction of sidewalks by merchants in the downtown district. The conviction was recently reviewed and reversed by a higher court. The captain's reinstatement will carry with it the payment of $10,000 back salary.

DEMAND RENEWED.

United States Wants Indemnity From Turkey for Pillage of American Missions.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 2.—The United States minister to Turkey, James B. Angell, has renewed the demand of the United States for an indemnity from the Turkish government for the pillage of the American missions at Kharput, Marash and Haskonje, Armenia. The port denies any responsibility for the pillaging on the ground that the government acted under the stress of unavoidable circumstances. Minister Angell, however, insists upon the government's responsibility, as Turkish troops and gendarmes participated in the outrages.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.
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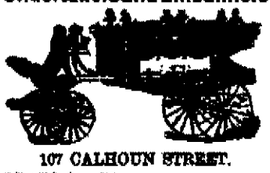
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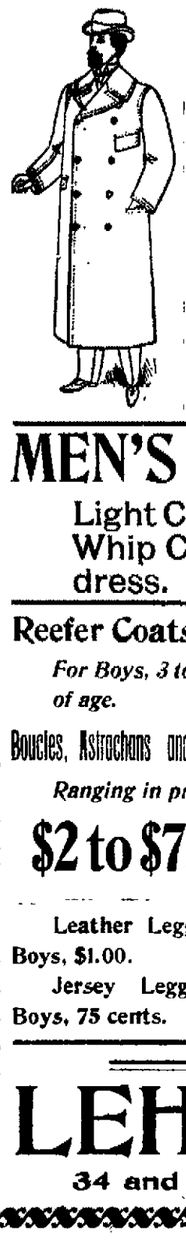
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Iowa, La., June 19, 1896.
Physicians' Institute, Chicago:
Mr. Dear Sirs, Please accept my thanks for the kindness you have done me. Lame back entirely stopped and sight has returned. I am all O. K. I remain, Yours truly, H. P.
Ravalli, T. D., Jan. 28, 1896.
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Gentlemen,—I wish to express my heartfelt thanks for the result of my treatment. During the last two months that I took your treatment the improvement was remarkable. I have had no nervous or other symptoms since taking your medicine. My friends are all surprised at the improvement in my general appearance. Hoping that you may ever prosper, I remain, Yours sincerely,
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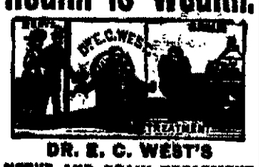

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Trains depart from Pennsylvania Station, Fort Wayne, Indiana.		
East Bound.		West Bound
*5 30 a.m.		*2 35 a. m.
*6 00 a.m.		
*7 00 a.m.		*5 15 a.m.
11 10 p.m.		*7 05 a.m.
*7 45 p.m.		*12 35 p.m.
*2 25 p.m. Limited		*4 00 p.m.
†10 55 p.m. From Crestline		5 25 p.m.
		5 45 p.m.

GRAND RAPIDS & INDIANA R. R.

In effect Nov. 28th, 1897.

SOUTH BOUND.	
*For Grand Rapids and north	2 40 a.m.
†	9 00 a.m.
†	2 05 p.m.
†From Richmond arrives	5 35 p.m.
SOUTH BOUND.	
*For Richmond and Cincinnati	12 35 noon
†	5 45 p.m.
†	12 35 p.m.
†From Grand Rapids arrives	7 15 p.m.

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday.

WABASH RAILROAD.

Trains from Fort Wayne, as follows. Effective Nov. 14, 1897.

No.	GOING EAST	DEPART.
2.	N. Y. & Boston Lim., daily	2 20 a.m.
24.	Toledo Local Express ex. Sunday	7 40 a.m.
4.	N. Y. & N. Exp. Flyer, daily	11 10 a.m.
6	Fast Mail & Ex., ex. Sunday	6 30 p.m.
30.	Decatur Accom. arrive ex. Sunday	8 45 p.m.
	GOING WEST.	
31.	Decatur Accom., ex. Sunday	5 31 a.m.
3.	Pacific Ex., ex. Sunday	9 20 a.m.
7.	Kan. City Cannon Ball, daily	12 20 noon
1.	Government Fast Mail, daily	3 30 p.m.
5.	St. Louis Vestibule Lim., daily	9 05 p.m.

Phone No. 6. E. G. THOMPSON, Passenger and Ticket Agent, Fort Wayne, Ind.

NEW YORK, CHICAGO & ST. LOUIS R. R.

	ARRIVE	LEAVE
WEST BOUND.		
Train No. 1	2 40 a.m.	2 50 a.m.
Train No. 3	11 05 a.m.	11 15 a.m.
Train No. 5	4 15 p.m.	4 30 p.m.
Local Freight	2 45 p.m.	7 00 a.m.
EAST BOUND.		
Train No. 2	3 20 a.m.	3 30 a.m.
Train No. 4	3 05 p.m.	3 10 p.m.
Train No. 6	7 10 p.m.	7 20 p.m.
Local Freight	4 30 p.m.	7 25 a.m.

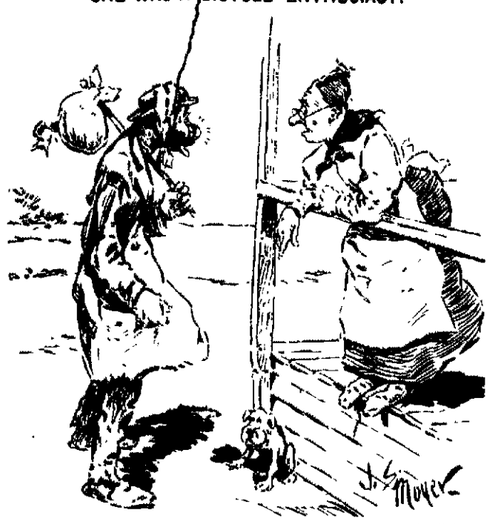
L. E. & W. TIME TABLE.

SOUTH.	
No. 44 leaves (except Sunday)	1 10 a m
No. 12 daily	4 15 p. m
No. 172 Local Freight	8 00 a m
NORTH.	
No. 43 arrives daily	11 40 a m
No. 11 (daily except Sunday)	10 35 p m
No. 170 Local Freight	4 00 p m

LAKE SHORE & MICHIGAN SOUTHERN RAILWAY—Fort Wayne Branch.

	DEPART.	ARRIVE.
No. 22 Way Freight	5 25 a.m.	8 25 p.m.
No. 36 Chi. Express and Mail	11 30 a.m.	6 30 p.m.
No. 40 Toledo and Ind. Ex.	5 15 p.m.	11 10 a.m.
SOUTH BOUND.	DEPART.	ARRIVE.
No. 21 Way Freight	6 00 a.m.	5 25 p.m.
No. 35 Through Express & Mail	12 45 p.m.	6 30 p.m.
No. 39 Toledo & Indiana Ex.	4 45 p.m.	11 10 a.m.

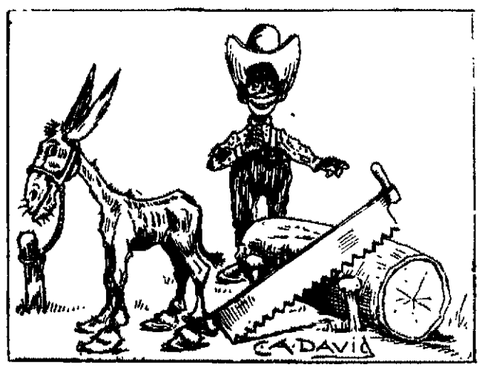
SHE WAS A BICYCLE ENTHUSIAST.



Fuller Briars—Say, lady, has yer a pair of pants yer kin give me?

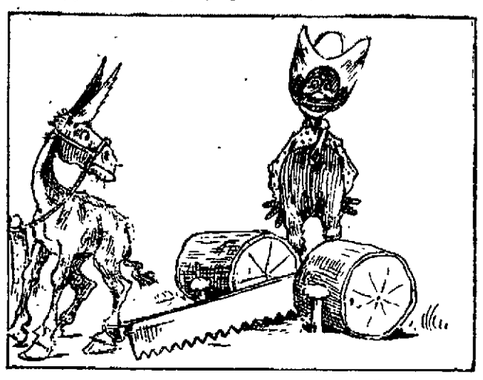
Mrs. Wheeler—Male or female?

UNCLE ELY'S INVENTION.



1—"Hey, dere!"

2—Now, you fool mule, keep right on or kickin."



3—"I done think I'se a bigger inventor den Massa Edison."

BEST OF ALL

Was Yesterday's Run Over the Pittsburg.

The Train Traveled 468 Miles in 565 Minutes, Including a Half Dozen Full Stops.

The special train which carried a party of Pennsylvania company officials over the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago road Tuesday, and again yesterday, was put on for the purpose of ascertaining to what extent the time of the Pennsylvania limited could be reduced. A regular schedule had been prepared for the special and on the westbound trip the engineer endeavored to keep within its limits.

But when the train left Chicago at 9 o'clock yesterday morning, on the return trip, General Superintendent A. B. Starr, under whose supervision the experiments were being made, decided, if possible, to beat all previous long distance runs on that line and instructions were forwarded to Engineer Ed McDonald to "let 'er go," meaning that he should speed the engine to its greatest velocity consistent with safety, an order he immediately put into effect.

The result was that the train traveled from Chicago to Pittsburg, 468 miles, in exactly 565 minutes, averaging fifty miles an hour, including all stops and slow ups, and beating all previous records for so long a run.

From South Chicago to Fort Wayne, 135 miles, the time consumed, including a six minute stop at Hanna and four minutes at Warsaw, was 140 minutes.

Only 136 minutes were consumed in the run from Fort Wayne to Crestline, 131 miles, including a five minute stop at Lima and four or five slow-ups where there were railway crossings.

The entire western division of the road, which extends from Chicago to Crestline and is 279.5 miles in length, was traversed in five hours and eight minutes, which time includes, besides a half-dozen or more slow-ups, full stops as follows: Hanna, six minutes; Warsaw, four minutes; Fort Wayne, six minutes; Lima, five minutes; total time lost, twenty-one minutes.

Deducting the time consumed by stops and slow-downs, the estimated average speed of the train, Chicago to Pittsburg, was 58.4 miles per hour. Mile after mile of this distance was reeled off in forty-eight seconds and on several occasions the velocity of the train was even greater.

The train consisted of two private cars, a coach and a baggage car, and it was hauled over the western division by engine 70, with Engineer Ed McDonald at the throttle.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS ITEMS.

James Dalton, an employe of the electric works, is quite sick.

P. Poier has been transferred from the east car shop to the tank shop.

Cheney Knight left today for Bloomington, Ill., to do some work for the Electric corporation.

Charles Kierspe, a machinist at the Bass works, is kept from his duties by the illness of his wife and daughter.

Engineer P. T. Walsh and Firemen James Larimore and A. C. Hobrock, of the Pittsburg, are on the sick list.

A car load of mining machinery will leave this city tomorrow, via the Wabash and Santa Fe route, for southwestern Arizona, where it will be installed in the Vekol mine, owned by Mrs. Maude F. Walker.

Awarded Highest Honors—World's Fair.

DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER

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A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia. Alum or any other adulterant.

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ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

The work of installing and operating the plant will be under the direction of F. A. Rider, who will leave for the west in a few days.

Boilermaker Fred Grosenbacher, of the Pittsburg shops, is sick.

Nickel Plate Fireman H. L. Palmer is off duty on account of sickness.

John Smith, of the Pittsburg shops, had an eye painfully burned this morning.

It is stated that the Big Four, on December 5, will ask for bids for 1,000 more box cars.

The Lake Shore is preparing plans for 500 box cars and will soon ask for bids for construction.

Nickel Plate engine 96 was taken to the Stony Island shops last night. She will receive general repairs.

John Lalander had a hand injured last Monday and has since been unable to work. He is a Nickel Plate fireman.

W. J. Morris, a Nickel Plate brakeman who had been visiting in Columbus, Ohio, has returned to the city.

Villier W. Davies has resigned a position with Root & Company to accept one with the Pennsylvania company.

The Relief union of the electric works is preparing to give a dance at the Princess rink on the night of December 23.

James Trythall and M. H. Morrison are taking a lay off, pending repairs to their crane in the Pittsburg blacksmith shop.

W. O. Comer, a Grand Rapids and Indiana brakeman, had a finger crushed yesterday by a caboose door closing against his hand.

William Burns, of Mt. Gilead, Ohio, who had been visiting his son, V. R. Burds, of the Pittsburg shops, returned home yesterday.

Fred Keifhaber, of the winding department, and E. T. Campbell, the elevator man, of the electric works, are on the sick list.

H. R. Staley, a painter at the east shops, went to Chicago today to visit his wife and children. Several years ago the family resided in this city.

J. Henry, who had been engaged for some time in installing a lighting plant in the Kosciusko county infirmary at Warsaw, has completed the work and returned home.

L. F. Loree, general manager of the Pennsylvania lines west of Pittsburg, will on December 8 sail for Europe, to be absent two months. His wife will accompany him.

The Machinists' union will hold a dance and entertainment at their hall this evening. These affairs are usually very pleasant and the one tonight will be no exception to the rule.

The official report shows that the net earnings of the Wabash for October were $113,265 in excess of those of October, 1896, which is certainly creditable to the management.

Fred Mennewish, foreman of the air brake department of the Pittsburg shops, now has one of the finest "turnouts" to be seen on the streets, having recently purchased a new buggy and harness.

Superintendent of Motive Power G. L. Potter came home this morning. He was with the conducting transportation committee, which yesterday traveled over the line in such a remarkable short time.

A through Pullman tourist car line from Chicago to Portland has been arranged in anticipation of heavy travel to the Klondike gold regions which railroad people expect will begin by the middle of January.

It is stated that a movement is on foot which will make a more direct line between Cleveland and Indianapolis than any now operated, the Cleveland, Lorain and Wheeling and the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton connecting their lines via Lima, Ohio.

The official announcement of the sale of that portion of the Lake shore line between Dundee, Mich., and the west line of the company's right of way of the Detroit branch at Chandler, has been made the purchaser being the Detroit, Lima and Northern company.

William Jackson, the watchman at the Fairfield avenue crossing of the Pittsburg road, is in danger of losing one of his feet. Several years ago the member was crushed by being run over by a car and never properly healed. Several times since the the foot has caused him much pain, but never was it in as bad a condition as at present.

Oscar Rhoades, the pasener brakeman on the Grand Rapids and Indiana road who had an arm badly injured in the wreck at the Wabash bridge several months ago, is recovering the use of the member and hopes to be able to soon resume work. Mr. Rhoades only has one arm and the accident to that left him in a helpless condition.

William Brannan, of the electric works, is suffering from an accident which may result in the loss of an eye. Last Monday he got some emery dust in one of his eyes, which he endeavored to remove himself, but failed. Later a physician was called upon, but the optic had become so badly inflamed that little could be done for it. He is now in the hands of an occulist.

Notwithstandin the interruption to its traffic caused by the yellow fever, the Illinois Central has this year done the largest business in the way of handling grain at New Orleans in its history. Between September 1 and the middle of November it hauled into New Orleans nearly 4,500,000 more bushels of grain than it hauled in the preceding year, and the large volume of its business still continues.

The Pennsylvania company is building, at its shops in Columbus, Ohio, two entirely new vestibule trains to be put in service between Pittsburg and St. Louis on Trains 20 and 21. The new coaches will be provided with all the latest conveniences, and will be six feet longer than the coaches heretofore built. The baggage car and the combination cars will be new, and the Pullman company will furnish some new Pullman cars to complete the two trains.

STRIKES A BONANZA.

Rich Discovery Made in the Topeka Group in Colorado.

DENVER, Col., Dec. 2.—The Topeka group of mines in Gilpin county owned by John F. Lovejoy has proved a bonanza, although former owners could not make it pay. Lovejoy bought the mine from Denver parties last June for $160,000. In cutting an upraise from the 800-foot levee a cross cut was run to the hanging wall where a streak of ore was struck which assays $2,000 to the ton. The vein has been drifted on and sunk for a distance of sixty-five feet, thereby uncovering more than enough to pay the entire cost of the mine. The vein is of uniform width the entire distance, with the prospects of continuing indefinitely, which promises many millions. The ore is white quartz filled with specks and nuggets of free gold.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

At the Sheriff's Sale

Thousands of Pairs of Fine Slippers for Ladies and Gents Almost Given Away.

675 pair ladies' glove kid three point slippers, worth from $1.00 to $1.50 a pair; Friday and Saturday, 49c.

800 pair ladies' wool slippers, flannel lined, hand turned, worth from $1.25 to $1.75 pair; for Friday and Saturday, 59c.

700 pair ladies' all wool, fur trimmed, hand turned, Juliette slippers, worth from $2.00 to $2.50 a pair; for Friday and Saturday, 98c.

900 pair of men's fine velvet slippers, worth from $1.00 to $1.50 a pair; for Friday and Saturday, 49c.

500 pair of men's brighn grain slippers, worth from $1.25 to $1.75 a pair; for Friday and Saturday, 59c.

Remember this sale for Friday and Saturday only. At 115, 117, 119 Calhoun street, corner Washington.

NORTHERN INDIANA NOTES.

Max Morris, dealer in ladies' and gentlemen's furnishings at Valparaiso, has made an assignment. Liabilities, $5,000.

Rochester has a new daily paper, the Sentinel, published by H. A. Barnhart, also publisher of the Weekly Sentinel.

The Chicago ice packers who own mammoth storehouses near Laporte are preparing for the annual harvest. Five thousand men will be given employment.

Isaac Litman, proprietor of the Gotham clothing store at Wabash, has made an assignment. Liabilities are about $6,000 with assets something less.

A young lady of Valparaiso, in the dark, mistook for a bottle of complexion lotion a bottle of carbolic acid and her face was badly disfigured by burns.

The Butler Herald understands that the criminal cases against ex-Surveyor Jake Hook, of DeKalb county, are to be dismissed because the state failed to make a case against McIntosh.

James Lambert, of North Manchester, was picked up by the crew of a Chicago and Erie freight train. He was in a dying condition. It is thought that his wounds were received in falling from a train.

Miss Cora Hatfield, the young lady at whose home "Dr." Mendenhall was arrested in Kosciusko county on charges of bigamy, has carded the Warsaw newspapers with the statement that the doctor was not engaged to be married to her.

END OF THE CRACKER WAR.

The Three Trusts Reported to Have Agreed on Consolidation.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 2.—The Republic says today: "After months of a disastrous cut-rate war between the three big cracker trusts a treaty of peace has been signed and a general consolidation agreed upon. The stock of the American Biscuit company, the New York Biscuit company and the United States Biscuit company will be pooled and a new company, with a capital stock of $55,000,000, formed."

THE MARKETS.

Chicago Market.

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—Wheat—Dec., 95¢; old, 88¢; Jan., 90⅞@90¢; May, 89⅞@90¢; July, 86½¢.

Corn—Dec., 25¢; Jan., 25⅛@¼¢; July, 29¼¢; May, 28½@⅝¢.

Oats—Dec., 20⅜@½¢; May, 22¼@⅞¢.

Pork—Dec., $7.15; Jan., $8.15; May, $8.40.

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The Weather.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—For Indiana: Snow flurries tonight and Friday; northwesterly winds

NEWS NOTES.

Skating is good at Reservoir park.

Theodore Frank is in Chicago on business.

Harry Henderson, of Chicago, is the guest of his father.

The Thursday Afternoon Whist club will be entertained by Mrs. N. L. Martin today.

Mrs Budd Von Swearingen entertained the Wednesday Sewing club yesterday afternoon.

Dr. C B. Stemen has returned from Dayton, where he went to look after his oil interests.

The Dramatic club will be drilled this evening at the home of Mrs. Joss, by Professor Adams.

W. P. Denny, of the law firm of Chapin & Denny, patent attorneys of Fort Wayne, is in Washington.

Miss Julia Cleary has returned to her home at Chicago, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. L. A. Centlivre.

Miss Mamie Higgins, of Toledo, who was the guest of the Misses Foley, of West Jefferson street, has returned home.

Miss Bertha Silvester, of Cincinnati Ohio, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Jack Breener, and will remain during the holidays.

John Jacobs, who for several years was employed at the Scherer bakery, on Maumee avenue, has purchased a bakery at New Haven.

The Ladies' Mite society of Christ's Lutheran church will meet with Mrs. Garmier, of 129 Barr street, tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The addition to the city greenhouses has been completed and Superintendent of Parks Goers will at once begin the propogation of 25,000 additional plants.

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Large Selects, for frying, 23c can.
Large Standards, Best Stewing, 18c can.
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Smoked Finnan Haddies, 9c lb.
Iceland Halibut, 12c lb.
Smoked Sturgeon, 17c lb.
Family-Mackerel, 10c lb.
Also Fresh Pickerel and Perch.
FRUIT HOUSE.

Ralph Bond has returned to Purdue university.

Mrs. C. F. Wharton, of South Bend, is visiting Mrs. G. W. Barket.

The Friday Afternoon Pedro club will meet with Miss Grace Bass this week.

Miss Belle Levy, formerly of Root & Co., has taken a position with Wolf & Dessauer.

The Ladies' Catholic Benevolent association will hold an election of officers this evening.

Miss Edna Reuss will entertain this evening in compliment to Miss Heneberry, of Peoria, Ill

Miss Julia Owens, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Lukens, has returned home.

Bert Chapman, of Montpelier, has purchased Carl Meyer's saloon, on Columbia street, and will conduct it personally.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Schoch are at home in their handsome new residence at the corner of Third and Harrison streets.

Miss Nellie Frank, of East Wayne street, entertained friends last evening in celebration of her seventeenth birthday anniversary.

Mrs. E. C. Rurode entertained two tables of guests at team whist at her home yesterday afternoon in compliment to Mrs. S. R. Backus, of Toledo.

Mrs. H. B. Woolsey gave a thimble party yesterday afternoon at her home, at which Mrs. C. F. Wharton, of South Bend, was the guest of honor.

Charles Goodwin, of Chicago, is in the city. Mr. Goodwin formerly resided here and is now engaged in the advertising business at the Garden City.

The Theosophical society will meet tonight. Mrs. Julia F. Taylor and J. D. Bond will address the meeting. The subject will be "Past Experience."

Mark Nelson, recently of the firm of Lipes, Nelson & Co., has gone to Chicago to take a position in the press room of a large printing establishment.

The Thursday Evening Pedro club will be entertained by Mrs. Ed Franke this evening, instead of by Mrs. L. A. Centlivre, who left yesterday for Chicago.

At Westminster church tomorrow evening, from 5 until 7:30, the ladies of the second division will give a chicken pie supper. An excellent meal will be served.

Mrs. Hunting and Miss Parry will entertain the ladies of the Plymouth Congregational church Friday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Hunting, 333 West Washington street.

Mrs. J. V. Reul, of West Lewis street, was delightfully surprised by ten couples last Tuesday evening, the unexpected visit being inspired by Mrs. Reul's birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Jane Chinworth and daughter, Ida, of Spy Run avenue, will leave in a few days for Missouri Valley, Mo., to be the guests this winter of Mrs. Chinworth's daughters.

E. E Stacey, state secretary of the Y. M. C. A., and E. L. Hamilton, of Chicago, international secretary, are in the city today, guests of J. W. Burns, secretary of the railroad department.

Miss Ross Grimm, of Madison street, entertained the Mizpah club last evening. There were fifteen couple present and dancing and card playing were the chief features of the evening's amusement.

Mrs. R. B. Wheeler, of 322 West Washington street, left yesterday noon for Martinsville, in response to a telegram stating that the death of her brother, Charles Rosengarten, was expected at any moment.

The choir of Emanuel's Lutheran church gave a successful entertainment and social at the school hall last Tuesday evening, the affair being largely attended. There was a fine program of entertainment, consisting of musical and literary numbers. A fine luncheon was also served.

Bluffton News: "Mrs. George Barnes, of Fort Wayne, is here on a visit with her sister, Mrs. Frank Runyan. Mrs. Barnes was Miss Nettie Ross until quite recently, when Mr. Barnes, a commercial salesman for the Armstrong millinery house, Fort Wayne, brought about the change in her name."

Dr. H. V. Sweringen has been invited to read a paper at the next meeting of the American Medical association, which will take place in June next at Denver, Col., before the section on materia medica and therapeutics. The invitation comes direct from the chairman of that section, Prof. John V. Shoemaker, M. D., of Philadelphia. Dr. Sweringen will accept.

Last night, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Van Gorder, No. 221 West Main street, occurred the marriage of Miss Emily Tyree to W. S. Barlow, Rev. Geo. E. Davies officiating. Mr. Barlow is the well known and very popular Nickel Plate trainman. The happy and handsome couple were the recipients of many choice presents from the large number of friends present. A cosy home had already been prepared by the groom, to which he takes his bride at once.

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The Shamrock club will meet tomorrow evening.

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A theater party from Columbia City will attend the performance of Modjeska Friday evening.

The S. S. club will meet at the home of H. F. Nahrwald this evening. They will elect officers.

The Ladies of the Maccabees, Hive No. 6, will give a progressive pedro party and a dance at their hall next Saturday evening.

"What is the Unpardonable Sin?" will be the question asked and answered by Evangelist Bulgin tonight in Bethany church.

The Golden Rod club gave a very enjoyable surprise party on Miss Katie Hecke, in honor of her twenty-first birthday anniversary.

The J. T. E. Club was entertained yesterday by Mrs. G. Mong, of 66 Riverside avenue, at dinner. A pleasant time was had by all those present.

REPORTS FOR DUTY.

Frank Iten Released by the Waterworks Trustees.

The Office of Waterworks Inspector Declared Abolished, but Mr. Iten Will Not Have It That Way.

There is blood on the moon at the waterworks office. A month ago the waterworks trustees decided to declare the office of waterworks inspector abolished and dispense with the services of Mr. Iten, who has filled that position for the past twelve years. It was announced that Mr. Iten resigned, but he has done nothing of the kind. In fact, he considered himself in the employ of the city to stay until next February, which time he claims he is allowed to serve under appointment of last board of trustees. Mr. Iten reported for duty this morning and it appears that it is his intention to show up for work every morning just as if nothing had happened. As he has been declared relieved from duty the matter is regarded by observers as being more or less funny. As no commission is issued to Mr. Iten it is doubted that he can serve longer than the board of trustees desire to keep him.

CHARITY FESTIVAL.

First Rehearsal of the Cantata, Egypta, Last Evening.

Leading Fort Wayne Singers Will Assist—Young Girls From the Public Schools Take Part.

Had any doubt existed as to the popularity of our Associated Charities, that doubt was effectually dispelled by a visit to last night's first rehearsal for the charity festival, which is to be held in the Masonic Temple Dec. 20, 21 and 22.

In response to the invitation issued by the committee of arrangements, the city hall was filled with Fort Wayne's leading singers. Even at this first rehearsal the music was sung with spirit. That all were pleased with the score of "Egypta" was demonstrated when the singers seemed reluctant to close the rehearsal, asking to sing "just one more number."

At the afternoon rehearsal for the auxiliary chorus of young girls from the public schools, nearly three hundred were present. Their readiness in taking up the music and their perfect intonation shows the excellence of their instruction in the public schools. The adult singers meet again tonight at 7:30 o'clock.

DEDICATED TO C. A. ROBBINS

There were three Crows sat on a tree,
Talking as busy as busy could be.
And as I passed by I heard one say,
Have you been to the Art Exhibit today.

Has the Art Exhibit really begun?
It has, said the Crow, with his face full of fun.
To the Berry street church, it will pay you to go,
And take a good look at the wonderful show.

There are pictures and pictures where ere you may gaze,
And furniture lovely, that will you amaze,
And objects of art, all scattered around,
No lovelier sight could ever be found.

There's one thing will hurt you—I'm sorry of that—
You'll see pretty of girls, with Crows on their hats,
But perhaps they don't know any better, you see,
These mortals are just as queer as can be.

So come, let us go, said the Crow to the rest,
And view this Exhibit, as well as the best.
I'm not going, said one, nor I, said the other.
To the pain and surprise of their black coated brother.

Not going? cried he. Why, mercy me! Jaws! Why ain't you going? They answered him. Caws.

—Mrs. T. R. Spalding.

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A Card.

Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Phelps, in their late bereavement, wish to extend their many thanks to the many friends who so kindly remembered their daughter, Jennie Lizzie, in her long and painful illness; also the beautiful floral offering, and to Rev. L. Henson, whose service was very impressive and appropriate, and to the choir who chanted such beautiful hymns.

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DICK, THE HOST.

Wayne Hotel May Pass Into His Hands in February.

William M. McKinnie Desires to Retire at the Expiration of His Lease—Negotiations Under Way.

With the expiration of his lease next February Will M. McKinnie will retire from the Wayne hotel business and that hostelry will pass into the hands of a new management. Negotiations have been open for some time with different parties, but Mr. McKinnie has failed in finding a satisfactory purchaser until, perhaps, today. Dick Townsend, none other than the former popular landlord of the Randall, and late of the Grand hotel, Indianapolis, is very likely to be the next manager of the Wayne. While the papers have not been closed, the indications are favorable for the change as stated. Mr. Townsend is in the city today and has been in consultation with J. C. Peters, owner of the building, and Mr. McKinnie, who owns the furnishings.

The retirement of Mr. McKinnie marks the loss of an energetic and popular landlord to the hotel business of Fort Wayne and one who has built an unassailable reputation for the house that he has conducted since it was first opened. His future plans are not known. Mr. Townsend would be competent to sustain the splendid character of the hotel and to hold to the hostelry a strong following of the traveling public.

ANOTHER ONE!

Harry J. Buell Brings Out a Great Patent.

A Bicycle Lamp That Eclipses Everything Heretofore Attempted—A Calcium Light.

Harry J. Buell, mention of whose patent of a chainless bicycle gear was made in THE SENTINEL Tuesday last, has brought to the front another invention almost as important to the devotees of the wheel as the gear. It is a light constructed along different lines from anything heretofore attempted and has many good points which other inventers have aimed at but never reached.

Underneath the bicycle seat is a reservoir containing calcium carbide, one drop of which in a liquid forms asceteline gas. The tubeing of the bicycle is used for a generator and conveys the gas to a lamp set in the tubeing of the headpiece and is equipped with a burner similar to an ordinary gas tip, and is turned up or down the same as the common gas jet. The light produced is a genuine calcium of wonderful intensity, and will not shake down, jar out or blacken the globe, the three most annoying features of the lights now in use.

Mr. Buell is an inventor of wide experience, there being in the market today more than twenty articles of which he is the patentee, and every one of them wonderfully successful.

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AT THE HOTELS.

Partial List of the Guests at Several of the City Hostelries.

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New Aveline—M. Storn and wife, Cincinnati; N. H. Kent, Kalamazoo; H. S. Coke, St. Louis; R. L. Hickman, Columbus, Ohio; E. H. Plummer, Boston; C. W. Shaw, Detroit; H. L. Foots, Grand Rapids; Ira Cadwallader, Crawfordsville; D. D. Griffiths, Chicago.

Randall—M. E. Griswold, Auburn; J. Wilson, Detroit; C. M. Witsch, Cincinnati; Miss Sue B. Ranson, Toledo; R. L. O'Brien, Omaha; Charles Carroll, St. Louis; G. A. Powell, Indianapolis; Tom O'Donnell, New York; B. U. Bell, B. A. Stockdale, Spencer Wheeler, Chicago.

Rich—J. D. Munson, B. F. Otley, Chicago; J. J. Richardson, Miss Allie E. Clem, Huntington; R. Tobey, Richmond; M. O. Marlett, C. H. Stephenson, Chicago; F. A. Rens, Erie; Chas. A. Bradbury, Hartford City.

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W. E. Jenkinson, bookkeeper at the Jenney Electric Light and Power company, got the $10 in cash at Reuben S. Patterson's last Saturday evening.

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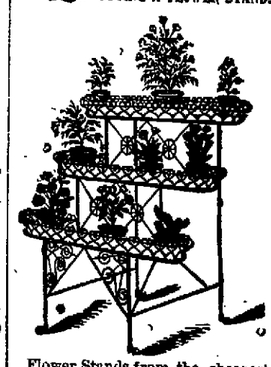

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A FORECAST

Of President McKinley's First Annual Message to Congress.

Currency Problems and Foreign Relations the Chief Topics Presented—Message Will be Unique in Some Respects.

Washington, Dec. 2.—The message of President McKinley will be devoted practically to the subjects of our foreign relations and the currency problem. It will be unique in one respect in that it ignores the great bulk of matters usually constituting the departmental portions of presidential annual messages. There is scarcely a reference to the subject matter of the annual reports of the cabinet, the president's purpose being to call attention only to the more important affairs of the government. For this reason the postal savings project of the postmaster general is not discussed in the message.

While the details of the currency plans are not definitely known, it can be authoritatively stated that it is in the main an incorporation of the views submitted by Secretary Gage, though as to details the president leaves himself freedom of action by not taking any position with reference to several features of the secretary's plan while endorsing its main object.

A strong presentation of the Hawaiian question is made and congress is urged to take immediate action by ratification of the treaty of annexation. This part of the message strongly depicts the necessity for making the island part of the domains of the United States and reviews advantages that would accrue to the country by its possession.

As in Cuba the message calls attention to the recent trend of affairs on the island, refers to the scheme of autonomy just offered by Spain and, after reciting other developments in the situation, reaches the virtual conclusion that existing circumstances do not warrant interference in the affairs of the island.

Considerable attention is paid to the reciprocity negotiations with various countries in Europe. Special Commissioner Kasson has been working on this subject for some time and the message deals with some of the developments of negotiations already held and expresses the hope of the administration to secure satisfactory results in the future. The policy of the administration on this subject is outlined, and, citing French arrangements as illustrations the point is made that if special concessions are given any foreign products the United States must be given equal treatment by reciprocal concession.

The Alaskan problem is discussed at some length and a plea is made for congressional legislation, including the extension of the operation of the public land laws and the granting of rights of way for roads by which all parts of the country may be made more accessible.

TEN DROWNED.

Watery Graves for the Crew of an English Lifeboat.

A Volunteer Life Saving Crew at Margate Goes Down While Putting Out to a Distressed Ship.

Margate, Eng., Dec. 2.—The volunteer life boat belonging to this place capsized this morning off Naylland rock. Of the fourteen men comprising her crew, ten were drowned. The Margate life boat, when the accident occurred, was on her way to rescue the crew of a large vessel, supposed to be the Persian Empire. The life boat was about two miles off shore when she was overturned.

CURE FOR HYDROPHOBIA.

Positive Specific for Rabies to be Tested by Physicians.

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 2.—For many years it has been known that the Yaqui Indians of Sonora, possessed a vegetable specific remedy for hydrophobia, which was positively sure and efficacious, but perfectly harmless. While always ready to apply when needed, the Indians have kept its constituents a profound secret. Recently Dr. J. S. Bell, a specialist, now at Hermosillo, has secured from the Yaquis their valuable secret, and a large quantity of the herbs necessary for its manufacture, and will return to the United States to introduce the remedy throughout the country. It is believed that its certainty and safety, combined with its almost insignificant cost, compared with visiting a Pasteur institute for treatment, will cause it to become the generally accepted remedy for rabies.

NOBLE ON INJUNCTIONS.

Former Secretary of the Interior Talks on Pending Measures.

Lafayette, Ind., Dec. 2.—Ex-Secretary of the Interior Noble, of St. Louis, today delivered the third of a series of lectures on railroad topics before the students of Purdue university. He was introduced by his former chief, ex-President Benjamin Harrison, a member of the board of trustees.

General Noble in the course of his address said, referring to injunctions:

"The writ of injunction that prohibits a lawless attack upon property or a reckless obstruction of the functions of government has proved an efficient process of the law, to secure at least a fair hearing on the merits of the case. The right of the courts of chancery to issue the writ of injunction and to try by the court itself questions of its command, without appeal, has grown up along with the right of trial by jury."

TWO FAILURES.

Enterprising Bandits Who Get No Booty.

A Bank and a Train Held Up—Officers and a Passenger Train Held Up at Gem.

Warsaw, Ind., Dec. 2.—Five robbers entered Miles & Bigbee's bank at Milford, early today. They bound and gagged Night Watchman Milton Stiffy. Dr. Black, who passed on his way home, was also bound and gagged. The robbers then drilled a hole in the safe and several charges of dynamite were exploded, but only disfigured the safe without opening it. In their rage the robbers burned $1,000 of valuable securities and departed, leaving no clew.

Kenton, Iowa, Dec. 2.—One lone robber, with his face hidden by a mask and armed with a revolver, attempted to rob the passengers of the north-and-bound St. Louis, Kenton and Northwestern train, which arrived here early this morning. A minstrel troupe and a theatrical company were aboard the cars. The robber got on at Lagrange, Mo., about forty miles below here. Soon after the train left Lagrange the desperado, who had taken a seat in the smoking car, put a mask on his face, and drawing a revolver, started through the cars. He demanded the money and valuables of the passengers. There was a scramble to get out of his way, but some of the men in the coach stood their ground and attempted to disarm the bandit, who fired three shots from his revolver, none of which took effect. He had his mask in the scuffle and finally escaped to the platform, from which he sprang to the ground while the train was going at full speed. The bandit secured no booty and his mask is in possession of one of the theatrical party.

St. Louis, Dec. 2.—A special to the Post-Dispatch from San Antonio, Texas, says: Advices were received here this morning of an attempt to hold up and rob a passenger train on the Mexican National road, near Monterey, Mex., by mounted and well armed Mexicans. The passengers made resistance and the outlaws were unsuccessful. They are being pursued by soldiers and if captured will be shot.

MARRIED.

Henry George, Jr., and Miss Marie Hitch.

The Affair Quietly Consummated at the Bride's Father's Home—Much Secrecy an Requirement.

Chicago, Dec. 2.—The marriage of Miss Marie Hitch, daughter of Capt. E. V. Hitch, formerly of New Orleans, to Henry George, jr., son of the late Henry George, of New York, was celebrated today at the home of the bride's father, 2554 Ontario street. The wedding was a quiet one owing to the recent death of Mr. George's father. Only the most intimate friends and relatives witnessed the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. John Heath, of the Millard church. The bride, who was simply but handsomely gowned in white silk and lace, was attended by her sister, Miss Ellmore Hitch, as maid of honor, and the groom was attended by Ralph Crawford, of New York, as best man. A wedding breakfast was served, after which Mr. and Mrs. George left for Washington. Mrs. and Miss Georges, mother and sister of the groom, were among the wedding guests. The young couple first met during the world's fair, although the families had been intimate for years, the acquaintanceship was renewed when Henry George's father came west during the last presidential campaign to make speeches for W. J. Bryan, and this summer while Miss Hitch was visiting Mr. and Mrs. George in New York the engagement was announced. The wedding was to have taken place a week ago, but the sudden death of Mr. George's father during the heat of the New York mayoralty campaign caused a postponement until today.

BOARD OF WORKS.

Bids to be Received for a Lakeside Sewer—Business Last Night.

Bids will be received by the board of works tonight for a new sewer in Lakeside. It will run between Lake and Rivermont avenues, from Tecumseh street by a circuitous route to Lake avenue.

Remonstrances will be heard for side-walks on the west side of St. Mary's avenue, from High to Pelt street, grading the alley between Calhoun and Clinton streets, from Allen to Pontiac street, for a side-walk on south side of Scott avenue, from Broadway to Thompson avenue.

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MOTHER MCKINLEY

Suffers a Paralytic Stroke This Morning.

The Attack is Said to Be Extreme but Makes Her Recovery Very Doubtful.

Canton, Ohio, Dec. 2.—Mrs. Nancy Allison McKinley, mother of the president, was stricken with paralysis this morning, and it is feared that her death is only a question of a short time. The paralysis at present is of but a mild form, but owing to her extreme age, nearly eighty-nine years, Dr. Phillips, the attending physician, can give but little hope to the family.

Abner McKinley, of New York, has been visiting here for a few days, and when his mother was stricken this morning, immediately communicated with the president by telephone. The latter asked if he had best start at once, to which Abner McKinley replied that he had best wait a further report from the physician, who would make a call in time to advise by 1 o'clock.

The physician's statement to the family was that there was little doubt that the attack would ultimately result in death, but that there was no indication yet as to just when the end might come.

The attack was very light, and in a younger person would not necessarily be regarded as dangerous, but to one of her advanced years there is every probability that the attack will become aggravated. The end, he said, might be in a short time or it might be in a week or even a longer interval.

Mother McKinley, for some time, has not been in real good health, having suffered from a mild form of grip, with which she has been afflicted, and she was able to be up and about the house. Wednesday she seemed to have materially improved and her bright and cheerful humor was especially noted by the members of the household. Abner McKinley remarked that he had not seen her in such apparent good spirits for years.

She retired as usual Wednesday night, occupying a room adjoining that of her daughter Helen. About the hour the family usually arises this morning Mother McKinley walked to Miss Helen McKinley's room and awakened her.

The latter addressed her mother, and receiving no answer surmised that something was wrong. She immediately aroused and summoned the household and later a physician.

Except in the failure of the vital organs, Mrs. McKinley shows but little evidence of the paralysis. She is in full possession of her mental faculties, recognizing all of the family and others who see her and taking an interest in what is transpiring. A letter was received from the president this morning and was read to her by Miss Helen McKinley, who inquired if she understood the letter. To the Mother McKinley nodded her assent. Her physical powers up to noon were but little affected by the paralysis. She was able to walk to her daughter's room before her illness was known and since seems able to handle herself almost as well as usual.

MURDER AT A GRAVE.

Alexander Green Kills Alexander Lawrence at Terre Haute.

Terre Haute, Ind., Dec. 2.—Alexander Owens, a marble dealer, became enraged at Alexander Lawrence, an employe at the cemetery, and struck him a fatal blow as they stood on opposite sides of a grave.

Owens was placing a monument at the grave when Lawrence suggested that the base was not in a good position. Owens resented what he termed the interference of Lawrence and seizing a heavy oaken roller struck Lawrence on the head before the other workmen could prevent him.

Lawrence's skull was crushed and he died several hours afterward.

MAIL CLERK ARRESTED.

C. W. Merrill Trapped by Means of Decoy Letters.

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 2.—C. W. Merrill, of Mansfield, Ohio, was arrested this morning for robbing the mails. Merrill was employed as a railway postal clerk on the Fort Wayne railroad between Crestline and Pittsburg. For a long time the postal officials have been troubled with complaints of money being stolen from letters. Two decoy letters, with marked money, were found in his pockets when arrested.

WILL STOP THEM.

Measures Would Certainly Follow the Sale of the Canadian Pacific.

Washington, Dec. 2.—The post office department is taking a firm stand against the so-called "sealing" letter and "sealing envelope" boxes, which are being conducted by a number of publishers to procure the subscriptions to their papers. The postmaster general, upon evidence satisfactory to himself that a scheme or person is operating through the mails a lottery, or which would bring process dependent upon lot or chance to prohibit the said correspondence of such matter to or from the parties

persons and periodicals containing paid advertisements of this character are forbidden transmission in the mails. This law, it is now announced, at the postoffice department, will be applied to all schemes which are violative of it if they are continued in operation or advertisements of them are published. Merely declaring some correct answers can be given, but only one list is deemed the correct one by the promoter of the scheme. The instance referred to in pressing what words compose the so-called required list. Such schemes are held to be essentially obnoxious owing to the skillful wording of the advertisements which make the chance for obtaining a prize more remote than in the famous Louisiana lottery.

SHE WAS SWINDLED.

Mrs. Julia French Invests Unwisely.

Buys Stock in a Gold Mine Which Has no Existence Only in Her Imagination.

Denver, Col., Dec. 2.—The Republican today publishes the following dispatch from Cripple Creek in regard to the Fortune Gold Mining company, the promoters of which are accused by a wealthy Boston lady of having swindled her out of a large sum of money. The Fortune Gold Mining company, ostensibly of Cripple Creek, lost in reality of Boston, owns an undisputed right to three claims known as the granite group, where, with a few miles from the Cripple Creek district. There is very little probability that the title of the company to the property will ever be brought into dispute. It is to receive $10,500 paid for stock in this company from Mrs. Julia D. French, a wealthy widow woman of the Back Bay district of Boston, has caused the arrest of Hamilton Gamet, Francis Appleton and William Beech Abbott, all of that city. The prosecution of the Fortune company is one of the most glowing that has ever appeared in Cripple Creek from the far away Hub. In it the purchasers of stock which is offered for sale at fifty cents a share, is led to believe that the claims owned by the company are among the most valuable in the heart of the Cripple Creek district. The people of Boston have suffered heavily from companies of this class formed by their own people, and the parties arrested have a number of similar claims to be located in similar far-away hills adjacent to the Cripple Creek district.

BOAT BURNED.

The Egyptian Completely Destroyed in the Lake.

A Passing Steamer Picks Up the Crew and the Burning Boat is Left to Her Fate.

Harrisville, Dec. 2.—The steamer Egyptian, bound from Cleveland to Milwaukee with a cargo of coal, burned to the water's edge in Lake Huron last night, off Sturgeon Point. The fire was discovered by the Sturgeon Point life saving crew about 8 o'clock, who started at once to the rescue, arriving at the burning boat at 11 o'clock. On the way to the steamer the life saving crew passed a large vessel which had taken the Egyptian crew off, but the life saving crew continued on their way with the hope of being able to save the burning hull. There were twelve vessels around the Egyptian during the early part of the fire, but by the time the life savers reached her they were all gone. Without help of any kind at hand, the life savers were compelled to leave the Egyptian without doing anything after cruising about thirty-five miles in weather nearly to zero. None of the life savers suffered permanent injury from the cold. Captain Henderson who was in command of the life saving crew, deserves great credit for his heroic endeavors to save the Egyptian. He might have been able to have done something had not all the vessels sailed away when the life boat was still two miles away from the burning vessel. The Egyptian was owned by Nelson & Wingate, of Detroit, according to the bills took. She was of 1,500 tons and was 220 feet long by twenty-six feet beam. She was built in 1873 and was several years past the time when she was a money maker.

Many Gold Veins Discovered.

Cripple Creek, Col., Dec. 2.—The northern boundary of the Cripple Creek gold district has been extended three miles by the discovery of Copper Mountain of an extensive flanket vein of ore running from six to thirty feet in width. The ore is free milling and yields gold, copper, silver and some tellurium. In the opinion of many mining men Copper Mountain is likely to prove one of the richest hills in the camp.

Stairway clocks in brass and oak, the latest at Dalton F. Green's, Arcade Jeweler.

Commissioner E. A. Schuler leaves this evening for Cores, Pa., to attend the funeral of E. Worsell.

Miss Lizzie Wilson, of Bluffton, is the guest of Miss Mary Wilson, of Lafayette street.

Miss Agnes Wilson, of Bluffton, is the guest of Miss Mary Wilson, of Lafayette street.

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"Pure and Save."

Cleveland's
Baking Powder.

Richest in pure cream of tartar, strongest in leavening power, the most economical, and has the best keeping qualities. Contains no alum, ammonia or other adulteration. All ingredients used are published on the label.

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BY K. & M. HACKETT.

TUESDAY, DEC. 2, 1897.

TONIGHT

Entertainment—Ladies' Aid society S. of V., at Trux Rhees' hall.

Bethel Street M. E. Church—Art exhibit all week.

Wayne Street M. E. Church—Ex-ra meeting, conducted by Rev. Henry W. Bennett, D. D.

Revivals—West Jefferson Street Church of Christ—West Creighton Avenue Church of Christ.

Revival Services—At Bethany Presbyterian church, Nebraska. Rev. E. J. Bulgin, evangelist.

Dramatic Club—Rehearsal of "Scrap of Paper," at home of Mrs. J. ---.

Theosophical Society—Regular meeting.

Board of Public Works—Regular meeting.

Lodges—Wayne Tent No. 54, K. O. T. M.; Summit City No. 36, A. O. U. W.; Harmony No. 19, I. O. O. F.; Periclean Camp No. 85, O. F.; Pericles Camp No. 85, The Grand Fraternity.

Masonic Temple—Attractions for the week:
Friday Evening—Modjeska.
Saturday Evening—Jim Hill's World of Novelties.

THE "cabinet crisis" appears to have assumed the malignancy of a fall in Europe. First Greece had one, then Spain, Austria is just catching her breath after dallying with the fashion, and France now is about to have one.

KAISER WILLIAM has decided to send no warship to bring little Hayti to terms. It may have been respect for the Monroe doctrine and the country that stands ready to enforce it, or it may not. Any way, the German guns are not coming.

WITH the new gold discoveries in the Klondike, Australia and Siberia monopolizing public attention, little attention has been paid recently to the American mines. Yet the fig-ures show that the sixteen most prominent gold mining companies in this country have paid, all told, nearly $40,000,000 in dividends to its stockholders. Unfortunately for the reputation of the American mines where one pays dividends a score or more prove absolutely worthless. But this is always the case and investors should not be led to believe that the Klondike securities will prove any exception.

IF THE greenbacks are to be restored, bonds must be issued for that purpose. What the average citizen wants to know and cannot find out is what good is to come of converting a non-interest bearing debt into a debt that does bear interest. That is a part of the plan of currency "reform" proposed by the administration.

AFTER a ten years' struggle Butler has finally acquired possession of its water works. It pays $1,250,000, while the price heretofore demanded was $2,100,000. The water company spent nearly $500,000 in electrons and filtration during that time. The present of Duluth building a municipal plant at once brought it to time.

GROVER CLEVELAND was sold in New York the 4ther day for $25. He was only a horse, however, and was once owned by the former president whose name he bears. The animal is a full brother of the great gelding Arion and had the making of a fleet stepper, but he wasn't trained right. No analogy is intended in these observations.

A NUMBER of Turks, immigrants who believe in polygamy, were turned back at New York. It appears that the interpreter who put the questions was an Armenian and he managed to make them testify that they believed in the Koran, which sanctions polygamy, and were therefore polygamists and disqualified for admission here. The young men protested that they were bachelors and had no intention of getting married, but that made no difference. The Armenian seems to have got even at the expense of the "unspeakable Turk."

THE report of Dr. Wyman, surgeon general of the marine hospital service, on the late epidemic of yellow fever in the south, reveals another question to be decided in connection with what may be called the Cuban question at large. Dr. Wyman officially states that Havana is the source of the yellow fever, which visits our country at frequent intervals, causing loss of life and property. Havana is a constant hotbed of yellow fever and for the reason that the government of Havana enforces no sanitary regulations whatever. At present the mortality at Havana from yellow fever—which always prevails there—is increased by the short supply of food in the city, in other words by starvation. In different hands than those of Spain the harbor of Havana would be cleansed and precautions taken against yellow fever, just as has been done at Vera Cruz.

CHINESE PAUPERISM.

A singular and striking report, probably the only one of the kind ever made in this country, has just been completed and issued in New York city by the committee on statistics of the Charity Organization society.

The committee is composed of Richmond Mayo-Smith, professor of political economy and social science at Columbia university; Franklin H. Giddings, professor of sociology at Columbia university, and Frederick W. Halls. The report consists of a careful analysis of the records of 500 families from the time they applied for aid in 1890 until September 1, of this year. In referring to the repetition of applications for relief the report says:

"There is a disclosure of chronic pauperism. This pauperism exists to a large degree because of the inadequacy of men and women to support themselves. Their condition is due, investigation shows, to a lack of moral development. Of the persons who appealed for aid the largest number were married men and women. Widows with children came next. Of the 500 applicants 170 were Irish and 132 were natives of the United States. Many of the latter were persons who had lived in this city less than a year. The list includes 122 men of good character and 231 women of good character. The remainder were professional beggars, criminals and chronic paupers."

There is no way to deal with this class of chronic indigents. They are helpless in a measure, as pointed out in the foregoing extract. There is a moral and intellectual incapacity for which there is no remedy and the best, perhaps, that can be done is to furnish them subsistence when it is required. Footage for the future ought be taken in preventing, if possible, the intermarrying of people of this class and the propagation of their kind to a large extent out off. But even this is a doubtful expedient. Verily, the poor we have always with us.

FIELD'S TERM EXPIRES.

Aged Supreme Court Justice Is Now a Private Citizen.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—Justice Field's retirement from the supreme court, of which he gave official notice to the president last April, took place yesterday. The justice was not present in the court room and as he had not sat with the court on any day since the opening day of the term the proceedings did not differ in any respects from those of ordinary days.

It had been supposed that the general transfer of the seats of the associate judges, which always occurs when the senior associate retires, would take place, but even this formality was postponed until Monday next. Justice Harlan now becomes the senior associate.

If Justice Field's term had continued until next Tuesday he would have had forty-four years of continuous service. Under the law he will draw full salary until his death.

DIFFER AS TO UNION.

Sentiment Variation of Sons of the Revolution Parts Agree.

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 2.—The Indiana society of the Sons of the American Revolution, at the meeting last night, unanimously approved the proposed consolidation of this organization with the Society of the Sons of the Revolution, the new association to be known as the Society of the American Revolution. The Indiana branch of the Society of the Sons of the American Revolution have resolved, however, to oppose the proposed consolidation, and the statement was made that two thirds of the eastern states had taken or would take similar action.

Pensions for Indianians.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—Pensions have been granted to the following Indianians:

Original—Gustave Rhode, Cumberland; James Livingston, Lebanon; William Norton (deceased), Gleans Valley, Crawford Fawcett, Kokomo.

Additional—John T. Timberlake, Sulphur.

Supplemental—Jno. Eberle, North Indianapolis.

Restoration and Reissue—Thomas Roberts (deceased), Sheridan.

Increase—Abram Plunkett, Crawfordsville; Albert T. Lewis, Leavenworth; Irving Graves, Muncie; Thomas A. Dawson, Vincennes; John Hawes, Rockport; Jeremiah Conrad Snyder-man, Michael Carr, Red Cloud; John Stevens, Indianapolis; John Smith, Bryant; Orrett Frank Daniels, Rockport; William Langlass, Warsaw; Terrence Murphy, Indianapolis.

Reissue—Robert B. McManus, Carnation; Ephram Swanson, Madison.

Original Widows, Etc.—Ella Roberts, Sheridan; Hannah E. Bender, Bruin; Caroline Wilson, Bartle; Mary I. Burgess, Warsaw; Hannah C. Hoffman, Richard; Catherine Holban, Indianapolis.

Henry Ashbaucher and Alva Needs pleaded guilty at Decatur to the charge of having whisky cached. The boys are local men and have been following hard-fisted reputations, and it is thought for this reason they will receive a light sentence.

AMONG THE LODGES.

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Harmony hall, Wednesday evening, December 8, at which important business will be transacted. The election of officers for the ensuing year, addresses and suggestions under the head "Good of the Order," will be participated in by the sisters and brother members. Progressive pedro will be next on the program, the awarding of two first and second handsome prizes to each lady and gentleman winners and lovers, then refreshments will be served. Judging from past experience, they logically expect a jolly good time. The new charter is now on exhibition in Root & Company's window, where it will remain for three days more.

ELKS.

The annual memorial service will be held in the lodge rooms on next Sunday afternoon, Dec. 5th, it being the first Sunday in December, which has been designated and dedicated each year as a day in which shall be commemorated by every lodge of Elks the memories of our departed brothers.

Since the last memorial service three brothers have departed this life, viz: Brothers E. J. Erickson, H. J. Tapp and John Hamm, and it is to eulogize and commemorate their memory, as well as the memory of brothers who have gone before them that the members meet next Sunday.

The committee in charge of this memorial service have for good and sufficient reasons decided not to have a large public memorial service this year, but all brothers are requested to be on hand and take part in the ceremonies and to invite such friends as they desire to be present.

Good music, appropriate to the occasion, will be a part of the exercises. Brothers and their guests are requested to be at the lodge rooms promptly at 1:30 p. m.

The committee in charge is as follows: W. W. Mungen, A. C. Alter, F. S. Lightfoot, Sol Hubbard.

E. R. E. O. P.

Last Thursday evening a meeting was held to push along the organization of a company of the Uniform Rank, K. of P., at New Haven, and the following officers were elected:

Captain—Dan W. Hilyard.
First Lieutenant—E. C. Carter.
Second Lieutenant—Ben C. Peckett.
Recorder—Will D. Gurrell.
Treasurer—John W. Harter.

There are five non-commissioned officers to be appointed, and the new organization will start with twenty-one charter members. When it came to select a name New Haven was almost unanimously chosen.

The new company will belong to the Ninth regiment, under command of Col. C. E. Graves, of this city, and the boys will try and get into shape for the supreme lodge meeting at Indianapolis next autumn. This gives New Haven two uniformed bodies, the other being the Knights of St. John.

K. OF P.

Next Monday evening K. V. Emrick will address knights at Phoenix hall on the subject of "Pythianism." All brothers are invited to be present.

Fort Wayne, No. 118, has appointed the following committee to make preparations for a big reception to be given by the lodge January 8th: H. I. Smith, chairman; Charles Young, T. N. Roach, C. K. Ransom and George Essig. The affair will be on a broad scale and it is desired to have every Pythian knight in Fort Wayne present on the occasion. The lodge has held aloof from anything of this kind owing to the fact that the Odd Fellows' building was not provided with an elevator. This objection has been removed and a fine elevator will be in operation by the time this reception is given.

KNIGHTS AND LADIES OF COLUMBIA.

The Knights and Ladies of Columbia meet every Wednesday evening in K. O. T. M. hall on Calhoun street. Although a young order it is in a very prosperous condition and is composed of some of the best citizens. On Thursday evening, December 9, they will give an entertainment and supper in K. O. T. M. hall, when the following program will be carried out:

Instrumental music	Miss L. E. Jacob
Song	Lewis Lenert
Song	Harrison Lent
Recitation	Grace Gay
Instrumental music	Misses Lenhardt and Lenert
Recitation	Lavonne Lenert
Recitation	Mrs. Lenhardt
Instrumental music	Miss Jacobs
Recitation	Mrs. Lenert
Song	Grace Gay
Whole Von Tassel	Daughters of Columbia

DAUGHTERS OF THE EASTERN STAR.

The entertainment given by Mizpah council, No. 49, last Saturday evening was a decided success in every way. It not only shows the interest the members take in the lodge but it shows what they can do when it comes to entertaining their friends. Owing to the fact that this entertainment was given on their regular meeting night they decided to call an extra meeting next Saturday, at which time they will nominate officers for the ensuing term; also act on the applications of several parties.

LADIES' AID SOCIETY, NO. 19, S. OF V.

Ladies' Aid Society, No. 19, S. of V., will give an entertainment and social hop this evening. The following programs will be rendered:

Piano duet	Misses Florence Quinn and Mary Sullivan
Recitation	Miss Florence Quinn
Recitation	Miss Mary Sullivan
Recitation	Mrs. Wilson Schaefer
Recitation	Miss Ella Sullivan
Recitation	Ralph Sweet
Piano duet	Misses Mamie Sullivan and Florence Quinn
Recitation	Miss Florence McIntyre
Piano duet	Misses Florence McIntyre and Minnie Lehmann

WEARING BADGES.

Many of the orders of this state have taken up and are enforcing the law in regard to persons wearing badges and emblems of orders who are not members. The Jr. O. U. A. M. of Monroeville, have taken this step and it is a proper one, as there are entirely too many impostors who are using their lodge and order's assistance from members of orders in good standing. There are several of the class in Monroeville and they should take warning, as the penalty is $50 and costs.

DAUGHTERS OF KENTUCK.

There will be an annual election of officers in Queen Esther lodge next Saturday evening.

I. O. O. F.

This order will have a meeting next Sunday evening for the election of officers. A full attendance is requested.

BEN HUR.

No. 23 initiated two candidates at the last meeting. This lodge and No. 96 will hold their elections the last Monday in this month.

A. O. H.

On the fourth Sunday of this month the officers of the two divisions of the A. O. H. and the Hibernian Rifles, composing the county board, will meet at the rooms in Library hall to elect officers of the board.

DAUGHTERS OF WORKMEN.

Tuesday night a very interesting session was held, three ladies and two gentlemen being initiated into the order and three more were elected to come in next Tuesday night. The order is growing in membership as well as interest.

COURT OF HONOR.

The three lodges will elect officers next week. No. 7 and No. 22 will choose officers on Tuesday and No. 26 on Wednesday.

At the meeting Tuesday evening No. 2 had one initiation and a literary and musical entertainment was carried out before the meeting closed.

AUXILIARY TO O. C. E.

The Ladies' Auxiliary to the B. of L. E. will give an entertainment in True Blue hall Thursday evening, December 9. Their program is an especially pleasing one and will be published in a few days. The committee is making an extra effort to secure some of the best talent in the city and the deserve a liberal patronage from their friends.

The entertainment will be followed by a short dance program.

K. OF THE G. E.

The Knights of the Golden Eagle had three candidates last Tuesday evening, upon whom the three degrees were conferred. After the work Brother William H. Bales, of Winchester, and Brothers Hilgeman and Keefer, of this city made speeches. An oyster supper and smoker followed. Next Tuesday evening there will be five candidates for the first degree and a big time is expected. This order is flourishing finely. Meetings are held regularly Tuesday night of each week.

RAILWAY LODGE.

Rokiwaga council No. 92 will hold their regular meeting next Wednesday evening, December 8. At this meeting will occur the annual election of officers and three trustees to serve for the ensuing year. There will be other important business to be transacted. The degree staff will confer the initiation upon three candidates. The entertainment committee will submit their report and the members may expect to hear something interesting, as the committee have labored diligently to furnish something attractive.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF RED MEN.

The semi-annual election of officers for Mechecomaqua tribe, Independent Order of Red Men, which took place last evening, resulted as follows:

Sachem—William Birley.
Senior Sagamore—William Aiken.
Junior Sagamore—Charles Hutchinson.
Prophet—Monroe Johnson.
Chief of Records—Ernest Tagtmeyer.
Collector of Wampum—John T. Leach.
Keeper of Wampum—I. D. Eagle.
Trustee—Julius Wertzbaugh.

Previous to the election eight candidates for admission to the order were given the initiatory degrees and arrangements were completed for the purchase of a piano.

ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR.

Last Tuesday evening was a "red letter" one in the existence of the Eastern Star chapter, of Kendallville, when they entertained the grand matron, Mrs. Mamie Conrad, of Warsaw, several members of the Fort Wayne, Avilla and Butler chapters, and representatives from other chapters.

The initiatory degrees were conferred upon two candidates, the officers of Noble chapter exemplifying the work after which the beautiful floral degree was conferred. The officers of Noble chapter have a reputation for very admirable work in the exemplification of the ritual work and this favorable regard was more than sustained on this occasion. Never have the officers conferred the degrees in a more beautiful and impressive manner.

After the work a fine entertainment program was carried out.

Dr. Harriet Stevens, of Fort Wayne, very gracefully presented the regrets of her father, Dr. C. B. Stevens, grand patron, who was detained from the occasion by business duties.

Those present from this city were Mesdames J. W. Clark, J. M. Graham, J. Metzger, H. Unpstead, J. M. Henry, J. C. Craig, William Orrent, Isaac Allen; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brokaw, Dr. Harriet Stevens and Miss Kate Fraser.

MODERN AMERICAN FRATERNAL ORDER.

Anthony Wayne lodge, No. 12, Modern American Fraternal Order, met last night at the usual hour in the K. P. hall and initiated ten new members. The membership is now above 150. The lodge decided to have no meeting next Wednesday as it becomes of the entertainment the lodge intends to give on Thursday, December 9. As this is the first entertainment Anthony Wayne lodge has given, no pains are being spared to make it equal to anything ever given in the city. The lodge has been fortunate in securing the well known entertainer and character delineator, Professor Lew V. Ulrey [rest illegible]. Ulrey will entertain the audience with a number of his exceedingly funny characterizations and facial contortions. Prof. Ulrey has made arrangements to add old maids and "grass widows" to the amen corner. Mrs. Ada Bonner Ulrey and Miss Laura S. Bonner will give some twenty minutes of Delsarte attitudes, poses and action, in connection with that will equal anything ever given in the city. Not least among the attractions of this entertainment will be the music of the well known and justly popular Emerson quartet.

Capt. Thomas W. Blair, president of Anthony Wayne lodge, has promised to sing a solo or two. Altogether a grand treat is anticipated and one and all are invited to attend.

INDIAN SCHOOLS.

Annual Reports of the Institutions Where Young Lo is Schooled.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—The annual reports of Indian schools show considerable progress at Carlisle, Pa., and Hampton, Va., the principal institutions. Superintendent Pratt, of Carlisle, reports an enrollment of 782 pupils at the beginning of the fiscal year and they include representatives of sixty-eight different tribes. Captain Pratt presents a strong argument in favor of the Indian outing system, which he says enforces economy and saving. By this means the boys and girls at Carlisle earned $20,440 during the year. The total enrollment at the Hampton institute is 1,35, embracing representatives of thirteen tribes.

ENGINE EXPLODED.

Four Men Seriously Injured at Titusville, Pa., and Two Will Die.

TITUSVILLE, Pa., Dec. 2.—By the explosion of a "donkey" engine on the new street car line of the Titusville Traction company, near East Titusville, four men were seriously injured, two fatally. The injured were: Jacob Miller, engineer; Charles Miller, his son; Edward Neely, laborer; M. B. Dunham, Warren, Pa., president of the company. The two Millers were frightfully scalded and will die. Dunham and Neely received several scalp wounds and other injuries.

WAY TO STOP GAS WASTE.

Important Proceedings to be Tried in Indianapolis on a Test Case.

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 2.—The state proposes to step in and stop the waste of natural gas by injunction. The supreme court will be asked to pass on the injunction case brought up from Madison county and point out clearly a way for the state to proceed. The excitement over the waste of gas through uncapped oil wells shows no decrease. Mass meetings were held yesterday in the city, in Alexandria and in several other gas towns.

New Trades Union Formed.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 2.—The window glass operatives employed in the flint glass mills, dipping, ferguson and the vats, have formed a trades union and will make application for admission to the American Federation of Labor at the coming meeting at Nashville. There are about 2,000 such house men employed in the different factories in the country, and it is claimed that a large number in the Pittsburg, Ohio Valley, Wheeling and Indiana districts have joined the new organization.

Mrs. M. Eva Peck, a practicing physician of Goshen, as she was entering her home was seized by a footpad, who attempted to throttle her, in an effort to secure her purse. Mrs. Peck made a lively resistance, finally loosening her throat so that she could scream, and in this way compelled the robber's flight.

The Greatest Discovery Yet.

W. M. Repine, editor Tickfaw, Ill., "Chief," says: "We won't keep house without Dr. King's New Discovery For Consumption, Coughs and Colds. Experimented with many others, but never got the true remedy until we used Dr. King's New Discovery. No other remedy can take its place in our home, as it we have a certain and sure cure for Coughs, Colds, Whooping Cough, etc." It is idle to experiment with other remedies, even if they are urged on you just as good as Dr. King's New Discovery. They are not as good, because this remedy has a record of cures and besides is guaranteed. It never fails to satisfy. Trial bottles free at Dreier Bros.' drug store.

A Clever Trick.

It certainly looks like it, but there is really no trick about it. Anybody can try it who has Lame Back and Weak Kidneys. Malaria or nervous troubles. We think he can cure himself right away by taking Electric Bitters. This medicine tones up the whole system, acts as a stimulant to the Liver and Kidneys, is a blood purifier and nerve tonic. It cures Constipation, Headache, Fainting Spells, Sleeplessness and Melancholy. It is purely vegetable, a mild laxative, and restores the system to its natural vigor. Try Electric Bitters and be convinced that they are a miracle worker. Every bottle guaranteed. Only 50c a bottle at Dreier Bros.' Drug store.

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The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Dreier & Bro.

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REINSTATEMENT LIKELY.

Captain Strykerstown Will be Appointed to Police Again.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Corporation Counsel Scott has recommended to the board of police commissioners the reinstatement of John T. Strykerstown as captain of police. Captain Strykerstown was dismissed from the force in 1894 upon his conviction of accepting a basket of peaches as a bribe for non-enforcement of the ordinance against the obstruction of sidewalks by merchants in the downtown district. The conviction was recently reviewed and reversed by a higher court. The captain's reinstatement will carry with it the payment of $10,000 back salary.

DEMAND RENEWED.

United States Wants Indemnity From Turkey for Outrage of American Missions.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 2. The United States minister to Turkey, James B. Angell, has renewed the demand of the United States for an indemnity from the Turkish government for the pillage of the American missions at Kharput, Marash and Haskoje, Armenia. The port denies any responsibility for the pillaging on the ground that the government acted under the stress of unavoidable circumstances. Minister Angell, however, insists upon the government's responsibility, as Turkish troops and gendarmes participated in the outrages.

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Indianapolis Meeting.

Account Scottish Rite convocation, Wabash will sell round trip tickets to Indianapolis for $4 80 Sale begins for all trains Dec. 7, 8, 9, good returning until Dec. 11. By the new Indianapolis time card passengers can leave Fort Wayne at 5:31 a. m., arriving at Indianapolis 10:20 a. m.; leave at 1:35 a. m., arrive at Indianapolis at 2:30 p. m.; or leave 6:15 p. m., arrive at Indianapolis at 6 p. m. 297

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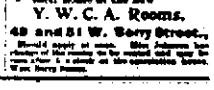

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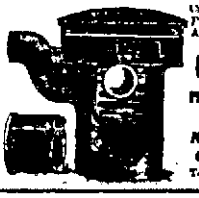

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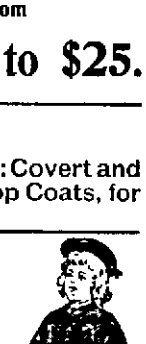

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11:00 a.m.	11:30 a.m.
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7:00 p.m. Limited	7:30 p.m.
11:00 p.m. Chi. Ex.	11:30 p.m.

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Trains leave Fort Wayne as follows: Central Standard Time.

4:00 a.m. Daily except Sunday	4:30 a.m.
11:00 a.m. Daily	11:30 a.m.
4:00 p.m. Daily except Sunday	4:30 p.m.
11:00 p.m. Daily	11:30 p.m.

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Trains Run Fort Wayne as follows: Effective Nov. 15, 1896.

SOUTH BOUND.

No.		DEPART.
3	N. Y. & Boston Ltd., Daily	1:30 a.m.
5	Toledo Local Passenger, ex. Sunday	6:15 a.m.
7	N. Y. & B. Exp., Daily	11:00 a.m.
9	Fast Mail & Ex., ex. Sunday	2:20 p.m.
11	Detroit Accom., ex. Sunday	4:30 p.m.
13	Toledo Accom., ex. Sunday	7:30 p.m.
15	Detroit Express, ex. Sunday	11:30 p.m.

NORTH BOUND.

2	Detroit Accom., ex. Sunday	1:30 a.m.
4	Toledo Accom., ex. Sunday	7:30 a.m.
6	Detroit Express, ex. Sunday	11:30 a.m.
8	Fast Mail & Ex., ex. Sunday	2:20 p.m.
10	Toledo Local Passenger, ex. Sunday	6:15 p.m.
12	N. Y. & B. Exp., Daily	11:00 p.m.
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Train No. 1	12 Noon	11 P.M.
Train No. 3	4:30 P.M.	3:30 A.M.
Train No. 5	12 Midnight	11 A.M.
Local Freight	4:00 A.M.	3:00 P.M.

WEST BOUND.

Train No. 2	12 Noon	11 P.M.
Train No. 4	4:30 P.M.	3:30 A.M.
Train No. 6	12 Midnight	11 A.M.
Local Freight	4:00 A.M.	3:00 P.M.

L. E. & W. TIME TABLE.

EASTBOUND.

No. 22 Western Express (daily)	1:30 a.m.
No. 24 Local Freight	4:00 a.m.
No. 102 Local Freight	4:00 p.m.

WESTBOUND.

No. 21 Express (daily)	12:30 p.m.
No. 23 Local Freight	11:00 a.m.
No. 101 Local Freight	11:00 p.m.

LAKE SHORE & MICHIGAN SOUTHERN RAILWAY—Fort Wayne Branch.

EASTBOUND.

No. 28 Fast Express	12:01 a.m.	12:10 a.m.
No. 22 Mail	4:30 a.m.	4:40 a.m.
No. 24 Accommodation	11:00 a.m.	11:10 a.m.
No. 26 Fast Express	2:30 p.m.	2:40 p.m.
No. 30 Limited Express	8:00 p.m.	8:10 p.m.

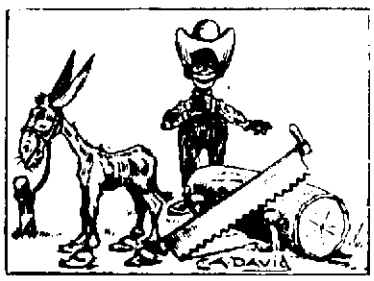
WESTBOUND.

No. 27 Fast Express	12:01 a.m.	12:10 a.m.
No. 21 Mail	11:00 a.m.	11:10 a.m.
No. 23 Accommodation	4:30 p.m.	4:40 p.m.
No. 25 Fast Express	8:00 p.m.	8:10 p.m.
No. 29 Limited Express	2:30 p.m.	2:40 p.m.

SHE WAS A BICYCLE ENTHUSIAST.

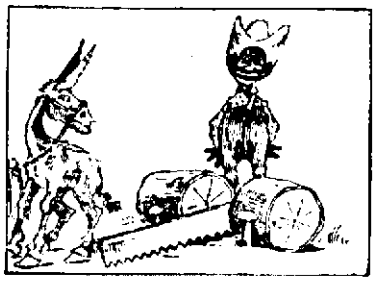
Fuller Brush—Say, lady, has yer a pair of pants yer kin"give out"
Mrs. Wheeler—Male or female?

UNCLE ELY'S INVENTION



1—"Hey, dere!"

2—"Now, you fool mule, keep right on er kickin'"



3—"I done think I'se a bigger inventor den Mason Ellison."

BEST OF ALL

Was Yesterday's Run Over the Pittsburg.

The Train Travelled 468 Miles in 365 Minutes, Including a Half Hours Full Stops.

The special train which carried a party of Pennsylvania company officials over the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago road Tuesday, and again yesterday, was put on for the purpose of ascertaining to what extend the time of the Pennsylvania limited could be reduced. A regular schedule had been prepared for the special and on the westbound trip the engineer endeavored to keep within its limits.

But when the train left Chicago at 9 o'clock yesterday morning, on the return trip, General Superintendent A. B. Starr, under whose supervision the experiments were being made, decided, if possible, to beat all previous long distance runs on that line and instructions were forwarded to Engineer Ed McDonald to "let 'er go," meaning that he should speed the engine to its greatest velocity consistent with safety, an order he immediately put into effect.

The result was that the train traveled from Chicago to Pittsburg, 468 miles, in exactly 365 minutes, averaging fifty miles an hour, including all stops and slow ups, and beating all previous records for so long a run.

From South Chicago to Fort Wayne, 125 miles, the time consumed, including a six minute stop at Hanna and four minutes at Warsaw, was 140 minutes.

Only 124 minutes were consumed in the run from Fort Wayne to Crestline, 131 miles, including a five minute stop at Lima and four or five slow ups where there were railway crossings.

The entire western division of the road, which extends from Chicago to Crestline and is 379.5 miles in length, was traversed in five hours and eight minutes, which time includes, less by a half dozen or more slow ups, full stops as follows: Hanna, six minutes; Warsaw, four minutes; Fort Wayne, six minutes; Lima, five minutes; total time lost, twenty-one minutes.

Deducting the time consumed by stops and slow downs, the estimated average speed of the train, Chicago to Pittsburg, was 76.4 miles per hour. Mile after mile of the distance was passed off in forty-eight seconds and on several occasions the velocity of the train was even greater.

The train consisted of two private cars, a coach and a baggage car, and it was hauled over the western division by engine 70, with Engineer Ed McDonald at the throttle.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS ITEMS.

James Dalton, an employe of the electric works, is quite sick.

F. Price has been transferred from the east car shop to the tank shop.

Chesney Knight left today for Bloomington, Ill., to do some work for the Electric corporation.

Charles Kleiger, a machinist at the Base works, is kept from his duties by the illness of his wife and daughter.

Engineer F. T. Walsh and Fireman James Lemmee and A. C. Hobrock of the Pittsburg, are on the sick list.

A car load of running machinery will leave this city tomorrow, via the Wabash and Santa Fe route, for southwestern Arizona, where it will be installed in the Vekol mining journal by Mrs. Maude F. Walker

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Boilermaker Fred Groenenbacher, of the Pittsburg shops, is sick.

Nickel Plate Fireman H. L. Palmer is off duty on account of sickness

John Smith, of the Pittsburg shops, had an eye painfully burned this morning.

It is stated that the Big Four, on December 5, will ask for bids for 1,000 more box cars.

The Lake Shore is preparing plans for 500 box cars and will soon ask for bids for construction.

Nickel Plate engine 96 was taken to the Stony Island shops last night. She will receive general repairs.

John Lalander had a hand injured last Monday and has since been unable to work. He is a Nickel Plate fireman.

W. J. Morris, a Nickel Plate brakeman who had been visiting in Columbus, Ohio, has returned to the city.

Villow W. Davies has resigned a position with Rent & Company to accept one with the Pennsylvania company.

The Relief union of the electric works is preparing to give a dance at the Princess rink on the night of December 23.

James Trythall and M. H. Morris are taking a lay off, pending repairs to their crane in the Pittsburg blacksmith shop.

W. O. Comer, a Grand Rapids and Indiana brakeman, had a finger crushed yesterday by a caboose door closing against his hand

William Burns, of Mt. Gilead, Ohio, who had been visiting his son, V. B. Burns, of the Pittsburg shops, returned home yesterday.

Fred Kuffaker, of the winding department, and E. T. Campbell, the elevator man, of the electric works, are on the sick list.

H. R. Staley, a painter at the east shops, went to Chicago today to visit his wife and children. Several years ago the family resided in this city.

J. Henry, who had been engaged for some time in installing a lighting plant in the Kosciusko county infirmary at Warsaw, has completed the work and returned home.

L. F. Loss, general manager of the Pennsylvania lines west of Pittsburg, will on December 8 sail for Europe, to be absent two months. His wife will accompany him.

The Machinists' union will hold a dance and entertainment at their hall this evening. These affairs are usually very pleasant and the one tonight will be no exception to the rule.

The official report shows that the net earnings of the Wabash for October were $113,765 in excess of those of October, 1895, which is certainly creditable to the management.

Fred Meanewirth, foreman of the air brake department of the Pittsburg shops, now has one of the finest "turnouts" to be seen on the streets, having recently purchased a new buggy and harness.

Superintendent of Motive Power G. L. Potter came home this morning. He was with the conducting transportation committee, which yesterday traveled over the line in such a remarkable short time.

A through Pullman tourist car line from Chicago to Portland has been arranged in anticipation of heavy travel to the Klondike gold regions which railroad people expect will begin by the middle of January.

It is stated that a movement is on foot which will make a more direct line between Cleveland and Indianapolis than any now operated, the Cleveland, Lorain and Wheeling and the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton connecting their lines via Lima, Ohio.

The official announcement of the sale of that portion of the Lake shore line between Dundee, Mich., and the west line of the company's right of way of the Detroit branch, at Chandler, has been made the purchaser being the Detroit, Lima and Northern company.

William Jackson, the watchman at the Fairfield avenue crossing of the Pittsburg road, is in danger of losing one of his feet. Several years ago the watcher was crushed by being run over by a car and never properly healed several times since the the foot has caused him much pain, but never was it in so bad a condition as at present.

Oscar Rhoades, the passenger brakeman on the Grand Rapids and Indiana road who had an arm badly injured in the wreck at the Wabash bridge several months ago, is recovering the use of the member and hopes to be able to soon resume work. Mr. Rhoades only has one arm and the accident that left him in a helpless condition.

William Brannan, of the electric works, is suffering from an accident which may result in the loss of an eye. Last Monday he got some emery dust in one of his eyes, which he endeavored to remove himself, but failed. Later a physician was called upon, but the optic had become so badly inflamed that little could be done for it. He is now in the hands of an oculist

Notwithstanding the interruption to its traffic caused by the yellow fever, the Illinois Central has this year done the largest business in the way of handling grain at New Orleans in its history. Between September 1 and the middle of November it hauled into New Orleans nearly 4,500,000 more bushels of grain than it hauled in the preceding year, and the large volume of its business still continues.

The Pennsylvania company is building, at its shops in Columbus, Ohio, two entirely new vestibule trains to be put in service between Pittsburg and St. Louis on Trains 20 and 21. The new coaches will be provided with all the latest conveniences, and will be six feet longer than the coaches heretofore built. The baggage car and the combination cars will be new, and the Pullman company will furnish some new Pullman cars to complete the two trains.

STRIKES A BONANZA.

Rich Discovery Made in the Topeka Group in Colorado.

Denver, Col., Dec. 2.—The Topeka group of mines in Gilpin county owned by John F. Lovejoy has proved a bonanza, although former owners could not make it pay. Lovejoy bought the mine from Denver parties last June for $160,000. In cutting an upraise from the 800-foot level a cross-cut was run to the hanging wall where a streak of ore was struck which assays $2,000 to the ton. The vein has been drifted on and sunk for a distance of sixty-five feet, thereby uncovering more than enough to pay the entire cost of the mine. The vein is of uniform width the entire distance, with the prospects of continuing indefinitely, while it promises many millions. The ore is white quartz filled with specks and nuggets of free gold.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

At the Sheriff's Sale

Thousands of Pairs of Fine Shoppers for Ladies and Gents Almost Given Away.

675 pair ladies' glove kid three point slippers, worth from $1.00 to $1.50 a pair: Friday and Saturday, 49c.

800 pair ladies' wool slippers, flannel lined, hand turned, worth from $1.25 to $1.75 pair; for Friday and Saturday, 59c.

700 pair ladies' all wool, fur trimmed, hand turned, Juliette slippers, worth from $2.00 to $2.50 a pair: for Friday and Saturday, 98c.

900 pair of men's fine velvet slippers, worth from $1.00 to $1.50 a pair, for Friday and Saturday, 49c.

500 pair of men's bright grain slippers, worth from $1.25 to $1.75 a pair; for Friday and Saturday, 59c.

Remember this sale for Friday and Saturday only. At 115, 117, 119 Calhoun street, corner Washington.

NORTHERN INDIANA NOTES.

Max Morris, dealer in ladies' and gentlemen's furnishings at Valparaiso, has made an assignment. Liabilities, $5,000.

Rochester has a new daily paper, the Sentinel, published by H. A. Barnhart, also publisher of the Weekly Sentinel

The Chicago ice packers who own mammoth storehouses near Laporte are preparing for the annual harvest. Five thousand men will be given employment.

Isaac Litman, proprietor of the Oxham clothing store at Wabash, has made an assignment. Liabilities about $6,000 with assets something less.

A young lady of Valparaiso, in the dark, mistook for a bottle of complexion lotion a bottle of carbolic acid and her face was badly disfigured by burns.

The Butler Herald understands that the criminal cases against ex-Surveyor Jake Hook of DeKalb county, are to be dismissed because the state failed to make a case against McIntosh.

James Lambert, of North Manchester, was picked up by the crew of a Chicago and Erie freight train. He was in a dying condition. It is thought that his wounds were received in falling from a train

Miss Cora Hatfield, the young lady at whose house "Dr." Mendenhall was arrested in Kosciusko county on charges of bigamy, has carded the Warsaw newspapers with the statement that the doctor was not engaged to be married to her.

END OF THE CRACKER WAR

The Three Trusts Reported to Have Agreed on Consolidation.

St. Louis, Dec. 2.—The Republic says today: "After months of a disastrous cut rate war between the three big cracker trusts a treaty of peace has been signed and a general consolidation agreed upon. The stock of the American Biscuit company, the New York Biscuit company and the United States Biscuit company will be pooled and a new company, with a capital stock of $15,000,000, formed."

THE MARKETS.

Chicago Market.

Chicago, Dec. 2.—Wheat—Dec., cash, sold, Jan., 90½; May, 84½; July, 80½.

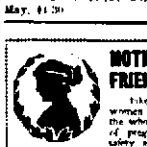
Corn—Dec., 24½; Jan., 25½@25½; July, 29½; May, 29½.

Oats—Dec., 20½@20½; May, 22½@23.

Pork—Dec., $7.15; Jan., $8.15; May, $8.40.

Lard—Dec., $4.15; Jan., $4.22½; May, $4.30.

Ribs—Dec., $4.15; Jan., $4.17½; May, $4.20.



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A Ruffle Extraordinary In The Cloak Room.

Tomorrow and Saturday A big new gathering of notables, selling at little prices.

This Cloak room of ours is a busy place—to make it still more lively, a new ruffling will be exhibited.

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FUR SCARFS....

85c up to $20 each.

One class of Costume in this showing will be a line of Real Marten Scarfs with 4 tails and 2 heads on each piece—

This lots price $5.00 each.

JACKETS.

A unique line of handsome Cloth Jackets—10 in all—never two alike—will be sold at the manufacturers cost

CHILDREN'S LONG COATS—size 10 all and enough in the lot **$1.00 up to $16 each.**

Have you seen the large and handsome line of China Ware on Second Floor.

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FOR TODAY.

Babies' 50c Soft Sole Shoes in all colors; big values, at 25c.

S. B. THING & CO.,

32 Calhoun St. -:- Large Red Boot.

The Glass of Fashion

will show you no more artistic results in the tailor's art than is achieved here in every suit made at this establishment. If your form is not modeled perfectly, we can hide defects and give you the finish, style and air of a man of breeding that no common place clothing can do, and at a reasonable price at that. Why look like a guy when you can be as Apollo for a few dollars, at

A. F. SCHOCH, 41 1-2 W. Main.

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Facts as plain as the footprints Robinson Crusoe discovered; facts that will stick; facts that will do you good to know; you can get from us Pianos, Organs, Guitars, Mandolins, Banjos, Violins, Autoharps, Harmoniums, and all kinds of musical instruments that will stand the most critical examination, bear us out in every promise we make, and give the fullest satisfaction. We also have the largest and most complete line of sheet Music in the city.

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RETAIL STORE, -:- 120 CALHOUN ST.

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Our steadily increasing business and the demand for our superior values. We're developing. We are growing like the oak, surely, steadily, solidly, extending the ripe roots of modern business methods into the very heart of trade surrounding out all competitive occupants with the new blood of enterprise. **SUPERIOR QUALITY AND LOWEST PRICE.** No superficial development here. We're starting on the principle that if we are fair with the people, the people will be fair with us. We've profited by the experience of others—and we don't propose to make any mistakes

We Have Too Many

High Grade Suitings in stock for this season of the year and we propose to sell the surplus stock in a hurry, and **PRICE** must do it. So for this week we offer you the choice of 40 styles of fine imported and domestic Fancy Worsteds, Cheviots and unfinished Worsteds in all the latest and fashionable stripes and checks for

$25.00

And guarantee a **PERFECT FIT, CORRECT STYLE** and **SUPERIOR WORKMANSHIP.** The regular prices on these goods have been from $30 to $35, and were the best values offered in the city at that. Here is your opportunity—See Window Display

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The Evening Sentinel.

THURSDAY, DEC. 2, 1897.

OUR TELEPHONES.

Business Office . . . . . No. 132.
Editorial Rooms . . . . . No. 666.

The Weather.

Washington, Dec. 2.—For Indiana: Snow flurries tonight and Friday; northwesterly winds.

NEWS NOTES.

Skating is good at Rosemeyer park.

Theodore Frank is in Chicago on business.

Harry Headworth, of Chicago, is the guest of his father.

The Thursday Afternoon Whist club will be entertained by Mrs. N. L. Martin today.

Mrs. Budd Von Ewerman entertained the Wednesday Evening club yesterday afternoon.

Dr. C. B. Stevens has returned from Darien, where he went to look after his oil interests.

The Dramatic club will be thrilled this evening at the home of Mrs. Jones, by Professor Adams.

W. P. Denny, of the law firm of Chapin & Denny, patent attorneys of Fort Wayne, is in Washington.

Miss Julia Cleary has returned to her home at Chicago, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. L. A. Gentilver.

Miss Mamie Higgins, of Toledo, who was the guest of the Misses Foley, of West Jefferson street, has returned home.

Miss Bertha Schroeder, of Cincinnati, Ohio, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Jack Brenner, and will remain during the holidays.

John Jacobs, who for several years was employed at the Schoen bakery, on Maumee avenue, has purchased a bakery at New Haven.

The Ladies' Aide society of Christ's Lutheran church will meet with Mrs. Gartner, of 129 Hartman street, tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The addition to the city greenhouses has been completed and superintendent of Parks Goeke will at once begin the propagation of 25,000 additional plants.

Butter Down 2c Pound.

Meats Down 1-2c Pound.

Best Country Roll Butter, 16c p.
Best Sugar Cured Shoulders, 6c p.
Best Sugar Cured Hams, 9c p.
Best Pickled Pork, 4c p.
South Whitley Mills best grade Flour, $4.00 bbl., every sack warranted.
City Mills, Orr's, Bloomingdale and Globe Mills Best Flour, $4.15 bbl.
Best Michigan Potatoes, No 1 stock, 40c bushel.
Best Yellow Onions, 40c bushel.
FRUIT HOUSE.

If you want $1.5 in value for $10, buy one of those $10 overcoats at Reuben S. Patterson's

Oysters and Smoked Fish for Friday Morning.

Large Selects, for frying, 25c can.
Large Standards, best Stewing, 15c can.
Smoked White Fish, 4c p.
Smoked Finnan Haddies, 5c p.
Iceland Halibut, 12c p.
Smoked Sturgeon, 12c p.
Family Mackerel, 10c p.
Also Fresh Pickerel and Perch
FRUIT HOUSE.

Ralph Bond has returned to Purdue university.

Mrs. C. F. Wharton, of South Bend, is visiting Mrs. G. W. Barker.

The Friday Afternoon Pedro club will meet with Miss Grace Bass this week.

Miss Belle Lucy, formerly of Reed & Co., has taken a position with Wolf & Dessauer.

The Ladies' Catholic Benevolent association will hold an election of officers this evening.

Miss Edna Rose will entertain this evening in compliment to Miss Hendekuey, of Peoria, Ill.

Miss Julia Owens, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Lukens, has returned home.

Bert Chapman, of Montpelier, has purchased Carl Meyer's saloon, on Columbia street, and will conduct it personally.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Schoch are at home in their handsome new residence at the corner of Third and Harrison streets.

Miss Nellie Frank, of East Wayne street, entertained friends last evening in celebration of her seventeenth birthday anniversary.

Mrs. E. C. Rurode entertained two tables of guests at 6 o'clock whist at her home yesterday afternoon in compliment to Mrs. S. R. Backus, of Toledo.

Mrs. H. B. Wodney gave a thimble party yesterday afternoon at her home, at which Mrs. C. F. Wharton, of South Bend, was the guest of honor.

Charles Goodwin, of Chicago, is in the city. Mr. Goodwin formerly resided here and is now engaged in the advertising business at the Garden City.

The Theosophical society will meet tonight. Mrs. John F. Taylor and J. D. Bond will address the meeting. The subject will be "Past Experience."

Mark Nelson, recently of the firm of Lopez, Nelson & Co., has gone to Chicago to take a position in the press room of a large printing establishment.

The Thursday Evening Pedro club will be entertained by Mrs. Ed Franke this evening, instead of by Mrs. L. A. Gentilver, who left yesterday for Chicago.

At Westminster church tomorrow evening, from 5 until 7:30, the ladies of the second division will give a chicken pie supper. An excellent meal will be served.

Mrs. Hunting and Miss Parry will entertain the ladies of the Plymouth Congregational church Friday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Hunting, 333 West Washington street.

Mrs. J. V. Reid, of West Lewis street, was delightfully surprised by ten couples last Tuesday evening, the occasion of her latest being in honor of Mrs. Reid's birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Jane Chinworth and daughter, Ida, of Spy Run avenue, will leave in a few days for Missouri Valley, Ia., to be the guests this winter of Mrs. Chinworth's daughters.

E. E. Stover, state secretary of the Y. M. C. A., and E. L. Hamilton, of Chicago, international secretary, are in the city today, guests of J. W. Burns, secretary of the railroad department.

Miss Rose Germain, of Madison street, entertained the Nimrah club last evening. There were fifteen couple present and dancing and card playing were the chief features of the evening's amusement.

Mrs. R. B. Wheeler, of 322 West Washington street, left yesterday noon for Martinsville, in response to a telegram stating that the death of her brother, Charles Rosengarten, was expected at any moment.

The choir of Emanuel's Lutheran church gave a successful entertainment and social at the school hall last Tuesday evening, the affair being largely attended. There was a fine program of entertainment, consisting of musical and literary numbers. A fine luncheon was also served.

Bluffton News: "Mrs. George Barnes, of Fort Wayne, is here on a visit with her sister, Mrs. Frank Rowan. Mrs. Barnes was Miss Nettie Rose until quite recently, when Mr. Barnes, a commercial salesman for the Armstrong milling house, Fort Wayne, brought about the change in her name.

Dr. H. V. Sweringen has been invited to read a paper at the next meeting of the American Medical association, which will take place in June next at Denver, Col., before the section on eastern medicine and therapeutics. The invitation comes direct from the chairman of that section, Prof. John V. Shoemaker, M. D., of Philadelphia. Dr. Sweringen will accept.

Last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Van Gessler, No. 271 West Main street, occurred the marriage of Miss Emily Tyrrell, W. S. Barlow, Rev. Geo. E. Lavine officiating. Mr. Barlow is the well known and very popular Nickel Plate train man. The happy and handsome couple were the recipients of many choice presents from the large number of friends present. A very home had already been prepared by the groom, to which he takes his bride at once

Best Roll Butter Down to 16 lb.

Fresh Eggs, Fry, and Meats are Much Cheaper at The Greatest.

Best Sirloin Steak, 8c lb.
Boston Roast Pork, 8c.
Hobe Flour, best made, $4.00 barrel.
Best Country Mills Flour, $4.00 barrel.
Self Raising Pan Cake Flour, 2½ pkgs. 5c.
Self Raising Buckwheat Flour, 2½ pkgs. 5c.
Pennsylvania Buckwheat Grown Flour, 10 lb. sacks, 25c.

THE GREATEST ONE-WAY

The Shamrock club will meet tomorrow evening.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. George Simonton, of Wells street, a son.

A theater party from Columbia City will attend the performance of Midgetta Friday evening.

The S. S. club will meet at the home of H. F. Nahrwald this evening. They will elect officers.

The Ladies of the Maccabees, Hive No. 6, will give a progressive pedro party and a dance at their hall next Saturday evening.

"What is the Unpardonable Sin?" will be the question asked and answered by Evangelist Dilligan tonight in Bethany church.

The Golden Rod club gave a very enjoyable surprise party on Miss Katie Hooke, in honor of her twenty-first birthday anniversary.

The J. T. E. Club was entertained yesterday by Mrs. O. Mong, of 68 Riverside avenue, at dinner. A pleasant time was had by all those present.

REPORTS FOR DUTY.

Frank Ibn Released by the Waterworks Trustees.

The Office of Waterworks Inspector reclared Vacated, but We Can Wait for Next Year.

There is blood on the moon at the waterworks office. A month ago the waterworks trustees decided to declare the office of waterworks inspector abolished and dispense with the services of Mr. Ibn, who has filled that position for the past twelve years. It was announced that Mr. Ibn resigned, but he has done nothing of the kind. In fact, he considered himself in the employ of the city to stay until next February, which time he claims he is allowed to serve under appointment of last board of trustees. Mr. Ibn reported for duty this morning and it appears that it is his intention to show up for work every morning just as if nothing had happened. As he has been declared relieved from duty the matter is regarded by observers as being more or less funny. As no commission is issued to Mr. Ibn it is doubted that he can serve longer than the board of trustees desire to keep him.

CHARITY FESTIVAL.

First Rehearsal of the Cantata, Egypta, Last Evening.

Leading Part Wrongly Assigned Will Cause Some Grief—Those the Public Is Soon to Vote For.

Had any doubt existed as to the popularity of our Associated Charities, that doubt was effectually dispelled by a visit to last night's first rehearsal for the charity festival, which is to be held in the Masonic Temple the 20, 21 and 22.

In response to the invitation, issued by the committee of arrangements, the city hall was filled with Fort Wayne's leading singers. Even at this first rehearsal the music was sung with spirit. That all were pleased with the music of "Egypta" was demonstrated when the singers seemed reluctant to close the rehearsal, asking to sing "just one more number."

At the afternoon rehearsal for the auxiliary chorus of young girls from the public schools, nearly three hundred were present. Their readiness in taking up the music and their perfect intonation shows the excellence of their instruction in the public schools. The adult singers meet again tonight at 7:30 o'clock.

DEDICATED TO C. A. ROBBINS

There were three that came out on a time,
To bring us happy tidings could be
And as I guessed by Chanticleer and
Robbins you know is the art Exhibit

Was the Art Exhibit really true to
If those would come to see the Fine Full of fun
To the Art Gallery which will put you
And take a good look at the wonderful

There were pictures and pictures, also we can say
many more
And therefore lovely, that will you please
And therefore if art all will interest
No question each could make be false.

There came those all but three—I'm sorry of
that
Your ill quality of gift would have no there
have
But perhaps they don't know any better you
see
Those materials are just as queer as can be.

So excuse I pray me and the rest to the end,
And when you Exhibit, as well as the best,
The best gained, and more I want the same.
To the ones and surprises of many thousand
hundred

Mrs. T. E. Spalding

COUCH PILLOWS.

Ladies, see our handsome line of muffers. The latest fad for pillow covers. Large, handsome and cheap.
113 SAM. PEFFE & MAY.

Go to the Art Exhibition at the Berry street M. E. church. Admission 10c 243

A Card.

Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Phelps, in their late bereavement, wish to extend their many thanks to the many friends who so kindly remembered their daughter, Jennie Lizzie in her long and painful illness also the beautiful floral offering, and to Rev. L. Hewson, whose service was very impressive and appropriate, and to the choir who rendered such beautiful hymns.

For the Holidays.

We have just unpacked a choice lot of new books in handsome bindings, especially for holiday trade. We have an extensive line of children's books, ranging in price from 5c up to the finest.

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237 x 4 table covers, worth $1.25 and $1.50, for Friday, 39c.

370 10 4 bed spreads, worth $1.50 and $1.75, for Friday, 49c. But one spread to each person.

115-117-119 Calhoun st., cor. Washington.

DICK, THE HOST.

Wayne Hotel May Pass Into His Hands in February.

William M. McKinnie Desires to Retire at the Expiration of His Lease—Negotiations Under Way.

With the expiration of his lease next February Will M. McKinnie will retire from the Wayne hotel business and that hostelry will pass into the hands of a new management. Negotiations have been open for some time with different parties, but Mr. McKinnie has failed in finding a satisfactory purchaser until, perhaps, today. Dick Townsend, none other than the former popular landlord of the Randall, and late of the Grand hotel, Indianapolis, is very likely to be the next manager of the Wayne. While the papers have not been closed, the indications are favorable for the change as stated. Mr. Townsend is in the city today and has been in consultation with J. C. Peters, owner of the building, and Mr. McKinnie, who owns the furnishings.

The retirement of Mr. McKinnie marks the loss of an energetic and popular landlord to the hotel business of Fort Wayne and one who has built an unassailable reputation for the house that he has conducted since it was first opened. His future plans are not known. Mr. Townsend would be competent to sustain the splendid character of the hotel and add to the hostelry a strong following of the traveling public.

ANOTHER ONE!

Harry J. Buell Brings Out a Great Patent.

A Bicycle Lamp That Produces Every Thing Heretofore Attempted—A Curious Light.

Harry J. Buell, mention of whose patent of a chainless bicycle gear was made in The Sentinel Tuesday last, has brought to the front another invention almost as important and to the devotees of the wheel as the rear. It is a light, constructed at an different lines from anything heretofore attempted and has many good points which other inventors have aimed at but never reached.

Underneath the bicycle seat is a reservoir containing calcium carbide, one drop of which in a liquid forms acetylene gas. The turning of the bicycle is used for a generator and conveys the gas to a lamp set in the tubing of the head piece and is equipped with a burner similar to an ordinary gas tip, and is turned up or down the same as the common gas jet. The light produced is a genuine calcium of wonderful intensity and will not shake down, jar out or blacken the globe, the three most annoying features of the lights now in use.

Mr. Buell is an inventor of wide experience, there being in the manner today more than twenty articles of which he is the inventor and every one of them wonderfully successful.

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AT THE HOTELS.

Partial List of the Arrivals at Several of the City Hostelries.

Wayne—T. H. Royston, Grand Rapids; W. H. Medewell, Syracuse; J. E. Hahn, Baltimore; James Reynolds, Detroit; Adam Wallace, Lafayette; J. B. Ferris, St. Louis; Charles Walter, Newark, N. J.; J. W. Darling, Pittsburg; R. M. Hurd, New York.

New Arcline—M. Stern and wife, Cincinnati; N. H. Kerr, Kalamazoo; H. S. Cake, St. Louis; R. L. Hickman, Columbus, Ohio; E. H. Plummer, Boston; C. W. Shaw, Detroit; H. L. Fouts, Grand Rapids; Ira Caldwallader, Crawfordsville; D. D. Griffiths, Chicago.

Randall—M. E. Grunwald, Auburn; J. Wilson, Detroit; C. M. Witsch, Cincinnati; Miss Sue B. Ranson, Toledo; R. L. O'Brien, Omaha; Charles Carroll, St. Louis; G. A. Powell, Indianapolis; Tom O'Donnell, New York; B. U. Bell, B. A. Stockdale, Spencer Wheeler, Chicago.

Bash—J. D. Munson, B. F. Coley, Chicago; J. J. Richardson, Miss Allie E. Chew, Huntington; R. Tobey, Richmond; M. G. Mariett, C. H. Stephenson, Chicago; F. A. Ross, Eric; Chas A. Bradbury, Hartford City.

We have just closed out fifty all wool, kersey overcoats. Lined throughout with all wool clay worsted and skinner satin sleeves, which we will sell at $10 a coat. It beats the bargain coat which we have sold all the fall at $10.

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Arnold's Bromo-Celery. Severe headaches in Wall street. Try this wonderful Bromo. 10c ets. Sold by Graves & Bellens.

BICYCLES—I have purchased a number of high grade wheels, which I will sell at one-half the manufacturing cost. Inquire at 334 West Jefferson street. 213

For a winter suit or overcoat, at the lowest price, call on Schmidt, the tailor, 70 E. Main street. Fit guaranteed. 207

Fresh Malt every day, except Thursday, at 5c bushel, at C. L. Centlivre's brewery.

W. F. Jenkinson, bookkeeper at the Jenney Electric Light and Power company, got the 4:0 in cash at Knobel & Patterson's last saturday evening.

MONEY TO LOAN
On real estate or personal security. C. F. PFEIFFER, Rooms 6-7, Bass Blk. 2d

LADIES!

Cover Your Couch Pillow With Muffers.

We have just received a large and handsome line of muffers, most beautiful patterns and colors, suitable for pillow covers. This is the latest fad. They make very stylish and elegant couch pillows, and are inexpensive. See them.
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If you are looking for a stylish hat for little money, attend the great cost sale now on at 113
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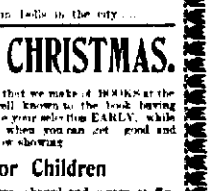

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